WEATHER FORECAST

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Miss Thelma Todd Found Dead by Maid After Being Missing for Some Hours — Autopsy Surgeon Says Poison at Least Chief Factor in Death — Motor Is Left Running

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 16 (AP).—Miss Thelma Todd, blonde film actress who was found dead today in her automobile, died of monoxide fumes "breathed accidentally," a county autopsy surgeon announced tonight.

The thirty-year-old woman, slumped behind the steering wheel of her open touring car, was discovered in her garage this morning by a maid, May Whitehead.

Blood on Miss Todd's face probably resulted from wounds incurred when she crumpled in the car, her head striking the wheel, Dr. A. F. Wagner, county autopsy surgeon, believed.

WAS MAJOR FACTOR

"The autopsy showed monoxide poison, to the extent of 70 per cent of total saturation, in her blood," the surgeon reported. "There may have been other contributing causes, but that definitely was the major factor.

"The fumes were breathed accidentally. Either she went to sleep with the motor running, or was overcome before she could help herself."

The attractive film star had been missing since she departed early Sunday morning from a party given by another actress.

The actress was driven by her chauffeur to her Beach Sidewalk cafe, below her home, early Sunday, after attending a party. The cafe was closed and Miss Todd, apparently without her keys, climbed to

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EXECUTED FOR POISON MURDER

Mrs. Elizabeth Tilford Pays With Life for Killing Her Husband

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Dec. 17 (C).—Mrs. Elizabeth Tilford, convicted poison murderess of her husband, was hanged in the county jailyard here at 12:59 this morning. Death was announced to have been instantaneous. County jail officials made a formal announcement that the execution had taken place. Newspaper reporters were not admitted.

Mrs. Tilford was the first woman to be hanged in Ontario in sixty-two years. Utmost secrecy prevailed regarding every detail of the execution. No announcement was made when the hanging would take place and only official witnesses and court officials were allowed in the jail or courthouse, nearby.

KILLED WITH ARSENIC

Elizabeth Ann Tilford, three times a widow, was sentenced to death by Mr. Justice A. C. Kingstone last October 2 after an Oxford County Supreme Court jury brought in a verdict of guilty. The jury deliberated six hours before deciding that Mrs. Tilford killed her husband by slow administration of arsenic. An appeal failed.

Tyrell Tilford died April 1. Evidence showed that as early as the end of February Tilford complained to his aged mother of burning pains in his stomach.

Mrs. Tilford met Tyrell Tilford, a teamster, at a church. He was a member of the congregation and she belonged to the choir. They were married on November 10, 1930. He was thirty-five years old when he died.

Big Local Mail Holds Night Boat Here Half-Hour

Held by heavy mails, the midnight boat for Vancouver did not leave the Belleville Street Dock until 12:30 o'clock this morning.

Postoffice authorities reported they had been deluged with Christmas mails and the boat was held in order that all outgoing mail might make proper connections.

NOTED SCIENTIST DIES

LIMPSFIELD COMMON, Surrey, Eng., Dec. 16 (AP).—Sir Richard Tetley Glazebrook, eighty-one, one-time president of the Institute of Electrical Engineers and author of many works on subjects of science, died tonight.

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STUDENTS IN PEIPING RIOT

Sixty Wounded Following Demonstration Against Japanese Aggression

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PEIPING, Dec. 17.—A night of fierce rioting against "Japanese aggression" in this ancient Chinese city left sixty student patriots reported wounded today and drew quick warnings from the Japanese military.

The Rengo (Japanese) News Agency reported General Sung Cheh Yuan forced to postpone the inaugural meeting of his semi-autonomous council for Hopeh and Chahar provinces, announced he would expel Dr. Hu Shih, noted scholar and author, and President Chiang Meng Lin, of the National University of Peiping, to the south.

THROUGH THE NIGHT

Riotous demonstrators from outlying universities, marooned in bitter wintry weather inside the locked city, shouted anti-Japanese slogans throughout the night.

Police charged the rioters with swords, gun butts and fire hoses, the the Japanese military attache, Lieutenant-Colonel Tan Takahashi, told Mayor Chin Teh Chun the demonstrators violated a Sino-Japanese understanding and must be halted.

As the riots raged, Japanese troops armed with bayonets and machine guns were thrown around the Kalgan Railway Station, 100 miles south of Peiping, and a virtual state of emergency was in effect.

BRITISH MAKING NEW PROPOSAL

Naval Conference Taking Fresh Turn With Probable Deadlock Averted

LONDON, Dec. 16 (C).—The Naval Conference will take a new turn at tomorrow's meeting, with the decision of the British delegation to lodge a proposal for quantitative limitation of navies by categories.

At the suggestion of Viscount Monsell, First Lord of the Admiralty, who is acting as chairman of the conference, the conference decided to devote its immediate attention to the British plan for announcement of building programmes over a period of years.

AVOIDING DEADLOCK

This move served to steer the gathering away, temporarily at least, from a threatened deadlock over the Japanese demand for "a common upper limit" in tonnage.

It was considered certain that the conference would carry over until 1936. Development of the British proposal will probably require the remainder of the week. After that, there will be an adjournment until January 2.

AGRICULTURAL HALL DESTROYED BY FIRE

BURQUITLAM, B.C., Dec. 16 (C).—Damage was estimated at $3,000 today as the result of a fire of unknown origin which destroyed the Burquitlam Agricultural Hall here last night. The hall was owned by J. C. Blair, of New Westminster.

Many onlookers attracted by the blaze were forced to stand by and watch the hall burn through lack of any fire fighting equipment in the community.

Searching for Missing Hunter

NORTH VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (C).—Police are searching this district for W. Pement, employee of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, who has been missing from his cabin at Deep Cove since Sunday. The man was last seen Sunday morning as he was leaving to go hunting in the nearby hills, and it is feared he may have been the victim of a hunting accident.

Outside Chamber of Deputies in Paris

Standing outside the Chamber of Deputies in Paris, hundreds of people waited for the annual riots, but no incidents occurred at the opening of the French Parliament this month. Thousands of troops were placed at all vantage points near the Chamber, but they were not needed. Here is a general view of the front entrance, with police, wearing their peculiar hooded capes, standing in the rain waiting for the Deputies to arrive.

Returning Officer's Vote Alone Counted as Legal Owing to Printer's Error

Other Ballots Cast in Terrebonne Are Declared Null and Void

DEFEATED CANDIDATE MAY LOSE DEPOSIT

ST. JEROME, Que., Dec. 16 (C).—A legal tangle unprecedented in Canada was left for Quebec courts to unravel as a result of election proceedings today that saw Returning Officer Anthony Lessard declare a 0-0 tie vote in Terrebonne and then cast the deciding ballot to elect Hon. Athanase David—the only vote cast after Mr. Justice J. A. Guibault judged 9,063 ballots cast November 25 were null and void.

Controversy spread quickly tonight as to whether or not nullifying the votes cast on election day created a tie. Friends of the defeated Herman Barrette advanced the opinion that Justice Guibault's judgment rendered the election void. Liberals held with the returning officer's viewpoint that no votes created a 0-0 tie and Mr. Lessard's casting vote was in accordance with the Quebec Election Act.

ANGLE TO PUZZLE

Another angle to the many-sided legal problem was the question whether or not Mr. Barrette would lose his $200 deposit in his 1-0 defeat. Against the contention Mr. David has more than half his opponent's number of votes, Conservatives protest it is impossible to

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Predicts Revolutionary Changes in New Zealand Monetary System

NAPIER, New Zealand, Dec. 17 (CP Cable, via Reuter's).—R. Semple, Minister of Public Works in the New Zealand Labor Government, in a speech today forecast "revolutionary changes" in the existing monetary system.

Semple said the monetary system of New Zealand must "receive the serious consideration of the Government in the near future." He said the people would have to receive the benefit of the nation's credit. The Public Works Minister described this as "a big job which would make for revolutionary changes."

Christmas Greeting Accompanies Demand For Actor's Ransom

Caleb Milne Lured Away by Abductors on Pretence of Visiting Wealthy Grandfather Seriously Ill —Demand $50,000 for Release

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP).—Caleb Jones Milne (jv), actor-scion of a wealthy Philadelphia family, was cast in the leading role tonight of what Department of Justice agents called a kidnap drama.

While New York City police listed the youth merely as a "missing person," Federal agents and the "Scotland Yard" division of the State police sought the author of a Christmas greeting ransom demand.

The disappearance of young Milne, twenty-four, who is a grandson of Caleb Milne, Jr., retired Philadelphia textile manufacturer, at 10 a.m. on Saturday from the apartment he shared with his brother, Frederic, leaving a note saying that a "Dr. Green of Fracie Square" had telephoned to insist that he accompany him to his grandfather's bedside in Germantown, Pa., where the elder Milne was supposed to be seriously ill.

The note demanding ransom had

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NURSE CONFESSES KILLING PATIENT

Deaths of Three Other Former Charges of Rhode Island Woman To Be Probed

WOONSOCKET, R.I., Dec. 16 (AP).—Deputy Chief of Police John E. Crowley said Miss Marie Simonne Sevigny, twenty-six-year-old practical nurse, confessed tonight she killed a patient here and an immediate investigation was launched into the deaths of three other former patients.

Crowley said the woman admitted after more than ten hours of questioning that she had administered a lethal dose of a cleaning fluid to Mrs. H. J. Valmore Normandin, forty-seven, wife of an auditor employed by the State, who died last Wednesday.

The officer said the other deaths to be investigated occurred in families where Miss Sevigny had been employed.

ARREST LECTURER WANTED AT DUNCAN

PRINCE RUPERT, Dec. 16 (AP).—John James Maloney, known throughout Western Canada as a lecturer, was taken into custody today for police of Duncan, B.C., where he is reported to be wanted on a charge of false pretences. Instructions are being awaited from Victoria headquarters regarding his transportation south.

FINLAND SENDS CHEQUE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP).—Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau today announced the receipt of $230,453 from Finland in full payment of its war debt installment.

Lives Lost for Lack of Ladders

MOSCOW, Dec. 16 (AP).—A fire in the workers' community house at Irkutsk, which gained headway because the firemen neglected to bring their ladders, killed at least nine persons, said press dispatches today.

The building housed 160 persons, some of whom were still missing. The firemen also were hampered by difficulty in obtaining water, the reports said.

Chinese Editor Shot on Street

HONGKONG, Dec. 16 (AP).—A Chinese disguised as a street coolie shot Lai Kung-Chi, editor of the Chinese newspaper Kungsheung Manpo, during the luncheon rush period today on Lee Yuen Street, in the busiest part of Hongkong's central district. The assailant walked off quietly into the crowd and escaped. The editor's condition was critical.

MEDICAL CASE WILL BE HEARD

Delegation From Society to Be Invited to Meet Public Works Committee

A delegation from the Victoria Medical Society will be asked to wait upon the public works committee of the City Council at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the question of providing medical treatment to persons on relief.

The medical men's ultimatum that no treatment would be given relief cases unless the society received a grant of $1,000 a month from the city was met by a counter-proposal, at the City Council meeting last night, that the city set up its own medical service by inviting applications for two assistant doctors to the medical health officer, and a dispenser of drugs. This proposal, made by Alderman P. R. Brown, was brought forward purely for discussion, after the health and relief committee's report had been read.

The report from the joint committee suggested that the council offer the medical society $500 a month until the end of February, and that, in the meantime, an amicable settlement of the dispute be reached. A letter also was read from Dr. Richard Felton, city medical health officer, in which he urged the council to make some satisfac-

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BRITISH GOVERNMENT MAKING READY FOR CRUCIAL DEBATE ON INTERNATIONAL SITUATION

Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin Prepares to Answer Criticism of Anglo-French Proposals Designed to Halt Hostilities Between Italy and Ethiopia, Already Rejected by Selassie

Mussolini Makes Conditions Necessary to Acceptance

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LONDON, Dec. 16 (C).—A series of conferences of Government Ministers took place today as Prime Minister Baldwin prepared to map out the stand which will be taken by the Government on Thursday's debate on the international situation in the House of Commons.

Widespread criticism, both within and without the Commons was heard of the Anglo-French proposals designed to halt the Italo-Ethiopian conflict.

Well-informed quarters, referring to objections understood to have been raised by Premier Mussolini against the plan, said the Government would refuse to modify it any further. Some quarters expressed the belief that the Government would cease to support the plan if turned down by the League of Nations Council.

REJECTION MADE CLEAR

Already Emperor Haile Selassie has made clear he cannot accept it in its present form.

Sir Samuel Hoare, Foreign Secretary, arrived by airplane at Croydon Airdrome today and hurried immediately to Downing Street to confer with Mr. Baldwin. He said he was feeling "not too well" as a result of a tumble he had while holidaying in Switzerland.

Il Duce's conditions for acceptance of the peace proposals were authoritatively reported here to be as follows:

DUCE'S CONDITIONS

1. Italy wants the proposed colonization zone in Ethiopia extended to the border of the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan.

2. Italy does not want to give Assab to Ethiopia as a free port,

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Victoria Stores Will Be Open All Day on Wednesday

VICTORIA stores will be open all day tomorrow, the early closing by-law having been suspended to allow an extra half day of shopping. On Saturday most of the shops will remain open until 9 o'clock in the evening, and 9 o'clock will be the closing time on Monday and Tuesday. Jewelry stores, commencing tomorrow, will be open every evening until 9 o'clock, including Christmas Eve.

VICTORIA ON BIG HOOK-UP

Christmas Day Broadcast To Be Relayed to Entire British Empire

Victoria will go on the radio for the entire world on Christmas Day.

Sometime between 12 noon and 2 p.m. this city will be heard on the Canadian Radio Commission's annual ocean-to-ocean Christmas broadcast. The feature will be relayed by short-wave to the British Broadcasting Corporation for rebroadcast throughout the entire British Empire and will also be broadcast by both the Columbia Broadcasting System and the National Broadcasting Company and their short-wave stations.

MANY PICK-UPS

Under the general title of "The Dominion Observes Christmas," the programme will feature pick-ups from Halifax to Victoria.

The broadcast will reach the British Isles, India, South Africa, Australia and New Zealand.

Victoria's portion of the programme has not yet been worked out in detail, such as to time and general continuity, but it will be a description of a golf game between four players on the Periscope Hole of the Victoria Golf Club. Two of the players, it is expected, will be Premier T. D. Pattullo and Phil Taylor, club professional.

TO INTERVIEW GOLFERS

Dick Claringbull, chief announcer and production manager for CRCV, Canadian Radio Commission outlet in Vancouver, will describe the game and interview the golfers. The programme will last four minutes. Complete details of the broadcast will be announced later.

This will be the first time Victoria has been an origin point of such an extensive broadcast and the first time it has been a pick-up point for the Canadian Radio Commission on a non-commercial broadcast. The microphone here will be linked by wire to Vancouver for broadcast to the world.

MAY FIND SEAT IN P.E.I. RIDING

OTTAWA, Dec. 16 (C).—Announcement is expected this week of the opening of a Federal seat to make way for Finance Minister Charles Dunning, who did not contest the general election. A by-election will be necessary if he is to have a seat in the House of Commons.

It was rumored tonight that Prince Edward Island, which has no representation in the Cabinet, may furnish a seat for the Finance Minister. The report was strengthened by the presence in Ottawa of A. E. MacLean, member-elect for Prince, who has represented that constituency since 1921.

Nobody on Boat Picked Up Adrift

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, Dec. 16 (AP).—The halibuter North towed the forty-five-foot gasboat Dickey Boy, which had been found adrift off Dixon entrance with no one aboard, into port today.

No trace was found of the crew, the halibuter's men reported. No lights were on it, either.

The Dickey Boy was owned by Peter Layton, of Metlakatla, B.C., and was registered at Prince Rupert, B.C., a check with shipping lists showed.

CUBAN RESCUED FROM HIDEOUT

Millionaire Released Without Payment of $500,000 Ransom—Three Shot

HAVANA, Dec. 16 (AP).—Cuban police announced tonight that three prisoners taken in connection with the kidnapping of Nicolas Castano were killed in a gun battle near the suburban town of Calvario.

Heavy firing broke out there late tonight as soldiers were reported rushing the accused men here from San Antonio de Las Vegan, near where Castana, sixty-six-year-old Havana millionaire, was freed today without payment of the $500,000 ransom demanded.

BEATEN BY KIDNAPPERS

Bedraggled and bearing marks of beatings received at the hands of kidnappers, Castano said the abductors wanted to start a revolution.

Castano, seized as he rode along a residential street in Havana last Monday, was beaten and shunted around in a network of caves near San Antonio de Las Vegas until two guards found the hideout and rescued him this morning.

May Increase Relief Grants To Provinces

OTTAWA, Dec. 16 (C).—Cabinet council was in session three hours this afternoon. Prime Minister Mackenzie King had nothing to announce, he said, when the meeting ended.

Several provincial Ministers remained in Ottawa from the conference last week, and it was understood the proposals to increase the relief grants were being advanced.

Increases ranging from 50 to 100 per cent according to need were said to be under consideration.

KILLS FOUR AND WOUNDS THREE

Disgruntled Man Deliberately Shoots Workmen on Los Angeles Project

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 16 (AP).—A disgruntled forty-four-year-old water "boy" shot four works progress administration workers to death and wounded three others, two seriously, with a rifle at a drainage job today.

The gunman, Charles N. Layman, appeared at the drainage ditch and started firing, without warning, from behind some trees. Holding an astounded group of workmen at bay, he fired leisurely, once reloading his rifle, then fled. Radio patrolmen carrying sawed-off shotguns captured him two blocks away, without resistance.

HAD PICKED AT HIM

Layman left his water boy job at the project last Friday. He told police he came back and shot his victims because they had been "picking at" him.

Cries of "lynch him" came from a group of several hundred workers at the project as Layman was hustled into a patrol wagon. There was no violence, however.

The victims, all Los Angeles men, were Lloyd E. Holden, Peter M. Coklit, Harry Sell and Lloyd Davis.

"GIVE A JOB"

OFFICIALS of the Employment Service of Canada, Victoria Branch, reported an increase in casual employment in the city yesterday, mainly in a neighborhood method, where householders call men and women known to them directly. Every job, whether for an hour or a day, so offered, helps to make Christmas a little brighter in some home. Meanwhile, the bureau has a list of reliable men and trained women anxious to obtain a little extra work before Christmas. No charge is made for the service of connecting the man or the woman with the job. But jobs are scarce, specially odd jobs that are chiefly sought at this time of the year by those seeking to eke out slender budgets for Christmas. At the end of the trail are the children, measuring each hearth for a stocking. Christmas jobs mean Christmas dollars and Christmas stockings. Phone Garden 2411 for men. Empire 1931 for women. Give a job, for Christmas!

Strategic Point on Road to India Kept Well on the Alert

Prepared for Any Eventualities Arising From War —Strong Naval Force and Large Number of Aircraft Added to Defences

By MARK BARRON

ADEN, Arabia, Dec. 7 (AP by Air Mail and Cable).—This Eastern terminus of the road to India is an increasingly formidable nest of arms, men and munitions, alert for any possible repercussions of the war in Africa.

The foreign population, usually about 1,000, now is approximately 5,000, with a continuous stream of British soldiers and sailors, sent here since the Italo-Ethiopian conflict thrust a tense situation across the Mediterranean, Red Sea and Gulf of Aden.

All important buildings in the British settlement, the telephone exchange, oil and shipping offices, are completely buffered with sandbags. Giant red crosses have recently been painted on the roofs of hospitals.

High, ancient walls of fortresses that crawl serpent-like around

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Final Attempt at Upsetting Divorce Ends With Failure

Judicial Committee of Privy Council Refuses to Set Aside Decree Granted O. L. McPherson in Edmonton Over Four Years Ago

LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP).—A final attempt on behalf of Mrs. Cora Lillian McPherson, of Edmonton, to set aside the divorce granted O. L. McPherson, was rejected today by the judicial committee of the Privy Council.

Mrs. McPherson's appeal was based on the fact that the decree nisi was granted by Mr. Justice T. M. Tweedie on April 22, 1931, after a hearing in the judge's library at Edmonton.

OUT OF THE QUESTION

The judicial committee, in a judgment read by Lord Blanesburgh, said that such a trial should be held in open court, but held that "to say such a decree is void seems out of the question. If the law so treated it the remedy would be worse than the disease."

Lord Blanesburgh began by observing that the appeal raised questions of wide general importance for the whole Dominion and even beyond.

Recalling that Mr. Justice Tweedie at the original trial, which was undefended, awarded Mr. McPherson the custody of the four children, the youngest being a boy of seven, Lord Blanesburgh said: "It is not unlikely, if one may judge from passages on record, that in the retention by the respondent of the custody of that youngest son lies the root of much of the later troubles between the parents."

ADMITTED BY COUNSEL

Counsel for Mr. McPherson admitted the hearing should have been held in open court, but contended the petitioner had not complained for sixteen months after the decree. In the meantime Mr. McPherson had remarried, but his second wife was in no way a party to the appeal.

The petitioner had previously appealed unsuccessfully to the appellate division of the Supreme Court of Alberta. On March she won leave to appeal to the Privy Council.

Mr. McPherson was granted a decree nisi by Mr. Justice Tweedie on April 22, 1931, at Edmonton, when his petition was not opposed. The decree was made absolute in open court on July 28.

An application to have the second Mrs. McPherson added as a party to the action to set aside the divorce decree was dismissed in 1932.

ONE APPEAL PENDING

EDMONTON, Dec. 16 (AP).—Decision of the British Privy Council dismissing the appeal brings to a close one phase of the McPherson divorce action which was held here in July, 1933.

The case involved O. L. McPherson, Minister of Public Works for Alberta at that time, and attracted widespread interest.

The disposal of the case before the British court leaves one appeal still to be dealt with. This is an appeal which is before the appellate division of the Supreme Court of Alberta in which it is sought to have the divorce granted Mr. McPherson set aside on grounds of collusion.

STRATEGIC POINT IS KEPT WELL DEFENDED

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towering volcanic craters and once made Aden impregnable from raids from the Arabian deserts are useless in modern warfare. But Great Britain, in the last two months, has surrounded Aden with an "imposing mobile wall," apparently designed to cut off the whole of the Eastern end of the Red Sea in an emergency.

Six light and heavy cruisers, eight destroyers, four submarines with a tender, and half a dozen other smaller gunboats ride at anchor in the hot blue harbor.

AIRCRAFT MULTIPLY

Fighting planes roar in patrol overhead. So many extra land aircraft have been brought in that two new aviation fields were built. In addition, a squadron of seaplanes recently arrived and a sea ramp with sheds is nearing completion.

The daily influx of additional troops found new barracks awaiting them. Most of them camped under canvas while scores of rough shacks with grass roofs were thrown up as company headquarters and officers' quarters.

On the flat desert acres are stores of ammunition, arms and supplies under hastily-erected sheds, with high walls of sandbags and barbed wire fence. Machine gun nests protect all corners of these dumps.

Trumpet Band of Coast Brigade

The Trumpet Band of the 5th B.C. Coast Brigade (R.C.A.), recently organized here in addition to the brigade band—one of the popular military bands located in the Capital City. The new unit will take part in official parades and inspections. The young men were all recruited in Victoria. They are: Top row, from left to right, Trumpeters Sced, Harvey, Simmonds, Thompson, Vesey. Second row, Trumpeters Knowles, Sced, McIver, Robbins and Warpel, Bombardiers Steadman and McIlmon. Front row, Drummers Goodman and Meadows, Lance-Sergeant Wilson, Lieut. Hood, Battalion Sergeant-Major Williams and Drummers Nelson and Smith. Base drummer, Lance-Bombardier Smith.

CHRISTMAS GREETING WITH RANSOM DEMAND

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been mailed in Poughkeepsie, N.Y., and was accompanied by a Christmas card upon which was typewritten, "Greetings to you."

The ransom note consisted of words clipped from newspapers and pasted to thin brown paper. It said:

"Your brother isn't in Philadelphia, we got him out in the country, but he will be returned, living, if you follow the letters we will send you. Available cash must come from New York. Keep in touch with your grandfather by phone. The letters will be signed 'Zwttler'."

REPORT CONTACT

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16 (AP).—The Record said tonight it had learned from a "reliable source" that relatives of the missing Caleb Milne iv "have contacted his kidnappers."

The paper said the young man's grandfather, Caleb Milne, Jr., wealthy retired Philadelphia textile manufacturer, received a written demand for ransom at his home today.

"The amount asked was reported to be $50,000," the paper stated. "As proof that the writers of the ransom note were holding Milne, they enclosed his watch in a small package which contained the ransom note," The Record said.

RETURNING OFFICER CASTS ONLY VOTE

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get a half-vote, therefore Mr. Barrette does not forfeit his deposit.

Justice Guibault's decision resulted from a claim by lawyers of the Conservative-Action Liberale Alliance during recount proceedings that all ballots were null, as they did not carry the legally required square on the back for the deputy returning officer to initial.

MAILED TO QUEBEC

The court upheld this claim, annulled and rejected every vote, but did not annul the election itself. The declaration by the returning officer of the 0-0 tie and his casting vote followed immediately, and he mailed to Quebec his official declaration of Mr. David's election. During his testimony at the judicial recount last week, Mr. Lessard stated that the squares had been left off the ballots by a printing house in the constituency and the omission had passed unnoticed on election day.

The immediate move of the Alliance, stated Edward Masson, head of the Alliance legal staff, would be to seek in court an injunction to prevent L. P. Goeffrion, clerk of the Crown in Chancery, from publishing the name of Mr. David as the elected member for Terrebonne. If successful, the effect would be to leave the seat vacant until legal proceedings were completed.

FILM ACTRESS DIES OF MONOXIDE FUMES

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the garage and slumped to rest in one of the cars where she was overcome.

HAD BEEN THREATENED

The actress was the object of several extortion notes and threatening letters this year. Two men, one now free on bail, face charges in New York in connection with sending such letters.

Edward Chifferet, twenty-six, was arrested last month and is held for trial. The other man, Harry Schimanski, thirty-four, is under indictment by the grand jury. He was released under $1,000 bail recently.

Mis Todd, who came to films eight years ago after being selected "Miss Massachusetts" in a state beauty contest, had been a guest at a filmland cafe party given by Ida Lupino, actress.

The actress, daughter of John Shaw Todd, was born at Lawrence, Mass., and entered the State Normal School at Lowell, Mass., where she worked as a fashion model. She planned a career as a school teacher when the beauty contest opened the way to a film contract.

"I have a car now. I've given our piano in exchange."

"Do motor dealers take pianos in exchange?"

"Not usually; but this dealer lives in the flat over ours."

MEDICAL CASE WILL BE HEARD

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tory arrangement with the medical society, since, if the treatment of relief cases were discontinued, he would be placed in an impossible position.

Mayor David Leeming opened the debate by pointing out that at present the city pays approximately $4,000 a year to the medical men for indigent cases. Under the recommendation of $500 a month, the city's expenditure would be boosted to $6,000 a year.

He then uttered his resentment against having "a gun held to our heads by the medical society," which was the manner in which he referred to what he alleged was a "threat" on the part of the medical men to cease medical service to indigent persons.

The Mayor pointed out that he had inquired into three fraternal societies and found that in two cases the societies paid a doctor $1 every quarter per head of family for medical service. The Eagles, he said, paid $60 a month for medical services for 400 of its members. At the rate of $1 per head of family per quarter, the cost to the city would work out to $300 a month, and at the present time the city was paying more than this for medical service.

ANSWERS "THREAT"

"Our answer to the threat is to engage the services of our own doctors," the Mayor concluded.

E. G. Snowden, city relief officer, said that he had received bills from thirty-five of the city's fifty doctors and that so far the bills showed that an average of twelve patients a day had been attended.

During the discussion the question of what other cities pay was brought up. It was found that Calgary pays $2,000 a month, and Vancouver, with a population of 300,000, $5,000 a month.

Alderman Brown also voiced his resentment to the manner in which "the doctors threaten us."

He then proceeded to outline the proposal of having two doctors and a dispensary as a basis for discussion. He pointed out that the city had spent more than $6,000 in drugs this year, while the cost for medical service under even the temporary recommendation would amount to $6,000 a year.

SECOND PLAN

As an alternative, Alderman Brown suggested that the city pay the medical society $600 a month, with a stipulation that the arrangement could be canceled by either party to the agreement by giving thirty days' notice. Before concluding his contribution to the debate, he declared that the doctors when they asked for the payments now made to them on relief cases did so merely to receive recognition for their services.

Alderman Archie Wills felt that the council would get nowhere by debating in the dark, and suggested that the medical society be invited to send a delegation to a meeting of the public works committee to be held at 2 o'clock next Friday afternoon.

This was the decision that was finally reached by the council.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1935.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	11:50 a.m.	10:33 p.m.
2	12:14 p.m.	11:51 p.m.
3	12:35 p.m.	.....
(First Quarter on 3rd)		
4	12:57 p.m.	1:09 a.m.
5	1:21 p.m.	2:27 a.m.
6	1:48 p.m.	3:47 a.m.
7	2:21 p.m.	5:07 a.m.
8	3:02 p.m.	6:24 a.m.
9	3:53 p.m.	7:35 a.m.
10	4:54 p.m.	8:35 a.m.
(Full Moon on 10th)		
11	6:01 p.m.	9:23 a.m.
12	7:11 p.m.	10:01 a.m.
13	8:21 p.m.	10:30 a.m.
14	9:29 p.m.	10:53 a.m.
15	10:34 p.m.	11:14 a.m.
16	11:38 p.m.	11:32 a.m.
17	.....	11:49 a.m.
(Last Quarter on 17th)		
18	0:42 a.m.	12:07 p.m.
19	1:47 a.m.	12:26 p.m.
20	2:53 a.m.	12:48 p.m.
21	3:59 a.m.	1:15 p.m.
22	5:07 a.m.	1:49 p.m.
23	6:13 a.m.	2:31 p.m.
24	7:14 a.m.	3:25 p.m.
25	8:07 a.m.	4:20 p.m.
(New Moon on 25th)		
26	8:50 a.m.	5:44 p.m.
27	9:26 a.m.	7:02 p.m.
28	9:55 a.m.	8:21 p.m.
29	10:19 a.m.	9:40 p.m.
30	10:41 a.m.	10:58 p.m.
31	11:03 a.m.	.....

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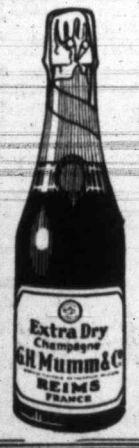

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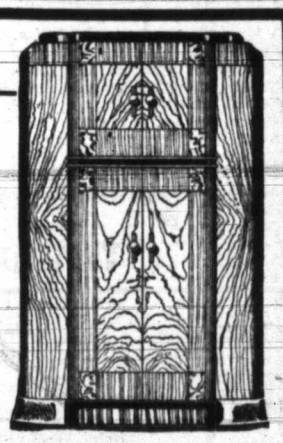
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Auto Manufacturers Ask Tariff Board for Greater Protection

Spread Between Canadian and United States Prices Justified Because of Higher Manufacturing and Distribution Costs to Dominion

OTTAWA, Dec. 16 (.—Tariff rates on automobiles were thrown open to debate before the Tariff Board today. Motor manufacturers and others interested turned out in force to air their views.

The motor manufacturers had the first innings and E. H. Long, representing the Canadian Automobile Chamber of Commerce, presented a lengthy brief urging that the intermediate tariff be raised in order to make the duty rates on cars from the United States the same after the United States trade treaty comes in effect as before.

The Canadian Automobile Chamber of Commerce includes five manufacturing companies, General Motors of Canada, Chrysler Corporation of Canada, Hudson Motors of Canada, International Harvester Company of Canada and the Studebaker Corporation of Canada.

JUSTIFICATION OF SPREAD

Justification of the spread between the price of motor cars in Canada and in the United States was found by this body in higher manufacturing and distributing costs in Canada. It was argued that the American manufacturers enjoyed mass production on a scale far greater than was possible in Canada. Taxes and duties payable by Canadian producers on parts and materials also added to their cost, and the Canadian automobile dealers had to have a larger discount because of a smaller volume of business.

In 1934, the brief stated the average profit per car made by the five companies was only 75 cents.

For a Canadian car used as an example the selling price was $992.10, and for the same car the American price was $728.37, the spread being $263.73. On this amount duty and taxes accounted for $74.67, or 28.3 per cent; dealer's margin, $69.86, or 26.5 per cent; excess cost of Canadian materials by reason of custom duty and taxes, $62.22, or 23.6 per cent; and labor, materials, factory expense, commercial and advertising expense and allowance for profit, $56.98, or 21 per cent.

DUTIES ON MACHINERY

Adding to the cost of manufacture in Canada, Mr. Long said, were high duties on machinery, ranging up 40 per cent and more.

Chairman George H. Sedgewick said he had encountered that argument in other hearings and thought that if anyone had anything to say in defence of tariffs on manufacturing machinery he should "say it now or forever hold his peace."

Mr. Long said the machinery was not made in Canada and much of it could not be made on a commercial scale for many years to come. If the duties were removed it would be a great help.

Commissioner Milton Campbell said Canadian manufacturers enjoyed additional protection in Western Canada by reason of freight rates and took advantage of it. The duty on an American car brought across the border from Regina and imported was imposed on the value of the car at the factory plus the freight to the point of sale.

SELLS AT FACTORY

"It is no added protection to the manufacturer because he sells his cars f.o.b. at the factory," said Mr. Long.

"I suggest you make a little something on freight," said Mr. Sedgewick.

"No. Not a cent," said Mr. Long.

R. P. Sparks, representing the Automobile Dealers' Association, said the dealers were forbidden by their franchises from the manufacturers to charge commission on the freight cost and thought this unfair. The dealers made nothing on freight though they would like to.

After looking up some papers, Mr. Sedgewick said to Mr. Long: "I think you are quite wrong and I know I am right. The companies do make a profit on freight though not necessarily in Ontario."

USED CAR TRADE-IN

More than 90 per cent of sales of new cars were accompanied by a trade-in of an old car, the brief stated. Trade-in values for used cars were high in Canada as compared with the United States and the actual amount of cash paid by a purchaser of a new car was about the same in Canada and the United States.

In some cases used car values were too high, due to intense competition in the sale of new cars and excessive allowances. This led to losses for dealers.

Application for Restoration of Wages Submitted

Another application for restoration of salary cuts was placed before the City Council last night. The Civic Employees' Protective Association made a similar request to the one submitted by the firemen, who asked for the remaining 12 per cent that would bring their wages back to normal.

The firemen's and Civic Employees' Association applications

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OPPOSE FRASER SALMON TREATY

Fishermen and Cannery Employees Approve Creation Of Central Council

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (.—Delegates to the Fishermen and Cannery Workers' Industrial Union of Canada approved creation of a Central Council representing all British Columbia fishermen and declared their opposition to the proposed Fraser River salmon treaty at their annual convention here.

Representatives of the British Columbia Trollers' Association, the Japanese Protective Association, Indian Fishermen and other organizations pledged support of their associations toward creation of the Central Council.

Delegates favored replacement of the proposed salmon treaty with a form of treaty which would permit practical fishermen to participate in its administration.

Obituary

HANSEN—Funeral services for Mrs. Karen Louise Hansen, who passed away Saturday at Jubilee Hospital, will be held this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at Sands Mortuary Chapel, Rev. Edwin Bracher officiating. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

SYKES—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Sunday morning, Albert Sykes, of 3114 Qu'Appelle Street, Saanich, aged seventy-eight years, passed away. Mr. Sykes was born in England and had been a resident of this province for twelve years, and was for many years a resident of Calgary. He is mourned by his widow; also a daughter, Mrs. Alexander Playfair, at the family residence; one daughter, Mrs. W. Morris, and one son, Joseph Sykes, of Calgary; one daughter, Miss Edith Sykes, and a son, Frank, in Vancouver; one son, Jack, in New York, and two daughters in England. Mr. Sykes was a member of Burnside Bowling Club and well known among the bowlers of this city. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at McCall Bros'. Funeral Home at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. O. L. Jull will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

WELSH—The funeral of the late Michael Welsh was held yesterday morning at St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Rev. Father J. A. Gaudette celebrated Mass at 9 o'clock. A delegation from the returned men's organizations and the ladies' auxiliary attended the service. The following members of the Pro Patra Branch of the Canadian Legion were the pallbearers: C. A. Gill, secretary; J. Charleton, S. J. Montgomery, T. O'Neill, E. S. Baldwin and A. D. Bennett. Interment was in the soldiers' plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SELLERS—Rev. Canon Nunns officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Ann Sellers held yesterday, at which a large number of sorrowing friends were present. Two hymns were sung, "Abide With Me" and "Lead, Kindly Light." A profusion of beautiful floral tributes was received. The following acted as pallbearers: A. W. Jones, S. Hull, John Craig, J. S. Horne, A. McKinnon and J. D. Norrie. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GRAY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Gray will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Paul's Garrison Church, Esquimalt, Rev. Alan Gardiner conducting the service. Interment will be made in the Naval Cemetery.

HAYNES—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Julia Haynes, who passed away on December 12, took place yesterday afternoon at the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. J. B. Rowell conducted the impressive service in the presence of many friends of Mrs. Haynes, who had been a resident of Victoria for over forty years. Beautiful floral offerings were received. The hymns sung by the congregation were, "What Shall I Do to Be Saved" and "Washed in the Blood of the Lamb." A solo, "Shadows," was sung by Mrs. J. B. Rowell. Interment was made in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park. The pallbearers were F. W. Sawyer, J. Thomson, H. Hitchman, G. A. Hearn, W. Gallaway and A. Inrig.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1935.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:42	4:22	17	7:56	4:21
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15	7:57	4:20	31	8:03	4:30
16	7:57	4:20			

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TENDERS TO BE INVITED

Garbage Disposal Contract Would Place Responsibility On Company

Tenders will be called immediately for the disposal of city garbage on a new agreement, which places the responsibility on the contracting company to see that the refuse does not return to city beaches. The contract would be for three years.

This action was taken by the City Council last night on the recommendation of the health committee, but another recommendation that the charge to outside municipalities be raised from 25 cents per cubic yard to 50 cents per cubic yard was deferred until such time as all tenders have been opened.

Postponement of action was decided upon when it was pointed out that the bids might be higher than expected, and that the 50-cent charge would not take care of the increased cost.

Alderman James Adam again suggested filling the ravine at the corner of Montreal and St. Lawrence Streets, and Alderman Walter Luney advanced his proposal for the crushing of the garbage before dumping in the sea.

Both proposals were deferred until a later meeting so that they could be considered in the light of the cost of towing to sea as contained in the new tenders.

ISSUE APPEAL FOR 3,000 TOYS

Scouts Need Assistance to Fill Quota for Greater Victoria Area

An urgent appeal for 3,000 more toys, either new or repairable, was issued yesterday by those in charge of the Boy Scouts' Toy Hospital and Workshop, 615 Yates Street. To date 8,232 toys have been repaired, but 3,000 more are required to bring the Scouts to their required total.

Many more small or large mechanical toys and books are needed. To make certain that all needy children in Victoria, Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt are cared for this Christmas, some 12,000 toys are required.

H. M. H. Mackenzie, one of those in charge of the workshop, requested that any who have old toys which can be repaired to phone G 4332, G 3296 or E 1475, and they will be called for immediately.

TO DISTRIBUTE TOYS

Those mothers whose children will be given toys will be notified by card, telling them to come to Scout headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street, either next Friday or Saturday, to select the toys for their children.

About 800 children in Saanich and 1,200 in other portions of Victoria will be assisted. Toys for the Saanich kiddies will be sent to the Saanich Welfare Association, where they will be distributed.

Boy Scouts are working hard now to have the toys repaired in time for distribution Friday and Saturday. Last Saturday some 3,870 toys ready for use were sent to Johnson Street headquarters. A welcome has been extended to anybody wishing to see the Scouts at work at the workshop on Yates Street.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS FRIDAY

Will Open and Consider Tenders on Macdonald Park Grandstand

A special meeting of the City Council will be held Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of opening tenders for the construction of a grandstand at Macdonald Park.

Alderman John Worthington, chairman of the parks committee, pointed out to the council last night that a big Rugby game would be played here soon and the city should not lose time in getting the work under way, otherwise it might lose considerable revenue.

Prior to the council meeting, the public works committee will convene to hear a delegation from the Victoria Medical Society.

The habitual grouser was holding forth as usual in the village grocer's about the price and quality of the goods.

"What do you want—the earth?" exclaimed the grocer in exasperation.

His customer gathered up her string bag and fired a parting shot.

"Not in my sugar, I don't!" she said, witheringly.

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GLACE CHERRIES, 8-oz. pkg. 21c
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CREAMS and JELLIES, lb., 20¢; 2 lbs. 39¢
CHRISTMAS MIX, lb., 14¢; 2 lbs. 27¢
ASSORTED JELLY BEANS, per lb., 19¢; 2 lbs., 37¢

SARDINES King Oscar, ¼'s, tin 11c
MUSHROOMS Birk's, First Choice, 1's, tin 29c
Custard Powder Monk & Glass, 1-lb. pkg. 23c
SHRIMPS Wet or Dry Pack, 1's, tin 17c
SALMON Fancy Red Spring, Red Breast, ½'s, per tin 10c

LICORICE ALLSORTS Genuine, lb., 20c; 2 lbs. 39c
ROWNTREE'S VELVET BUDS Per lb., 22c; 2 lbs. 43c
PRIME'S DELICIOUS ENGLISH TOFFEE, lb., 27c; 2 lbs. 53c
CHOCOLATE-COATED PEANUTS Per lb., 19c; 2 lbs. 37c
CATSUP Royal City or Aylmer, size 2, per tin 10c
CUSTARD POWDER Nabob, 2 Pkgs. 15c
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Brisket Boiling Beef, lb. 6c
Lean Pork Steaks, lb. 16c
Small Pork Roasts, lb. 15c

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Jap Oranges, box, 75c; doz. 20c
Cranberries, eastern, lb. 33c
Oranges, jumbo size, doz. 59c
Oranges Large Sunkist, choice navels, dozen 29c
Grapefruit, large, 4 for 17c
Lemons, medium, dozen 17c
Apples
McINTOSH, 6 lbs. 25¢
DELICIOUS, orchard run, box, $1.49; 6 lbs. 25¢
JONATHANS, orchard run, box, $1.49; 6 lbs. 25¢
KINGS, good cookers, box, 89¢; 10 lbs. 25¢
Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs. 14c
Potatoes Ashcroft Dry Bell 10 lbs. 21c
Island Burbanks, 10 lbs. 19¢
Carrots, 5 lbs. 7c
Turnips, 5 lbs. 3c

ROLLED OATS Robin Hood, large size pkg. for 15c
SHREDDED WHEAT, pkg. 10c
SMALL WHITE BEANS, lb. 5c
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THE LEAGUE AND ITALY

The League of Nations meeting on Wednesday has two angles of the Italo-Ethiopian dispute to consider. One is the Franco-British proposal for the partition of Ethiopia as a solution to bring about peace. The other is the question of imposing oil sanctions on Italy. The former proposal is unlikely to secure adherence from a majority of the nations who have delegates at Geneva. Its approval would prove a particularly damning indictment of the League as the protector of small nations against aggression. In fact a precedent would be created which would probably lead to wholesale defections from the League, whose usefulness would be permanently impaired. The reaction of world opinion to the Franco-British proposal is evidence that a way will have to be found whereby the suggestion of giving away Ethiopian territory will have to be abandoned.

Ethiopia was not the aggressor in the present war. That implies such international support as will insure that its territory remains inviolate when peace ensues. There is no other course possible if faith is to persist in the purposes of the League of Nations. Otherwise that League may well receive its death blow. It is on trial now as it never was before. It has already approved financial and economic sanctions which have been put into effect against Italy. It is to consider the extension of these, a fact which is a plain indication that Italy is regarded as the aggressor nation. Any suggestion now of giving Italy Ethiopian territory as a sop to end the war would indicate a reversal of policy on the part of the League, no matter what the quid pro quo that might be offered to Ethiopia. The League's duty is to see that the status quo is restored as it was before hostilities commenced. The whole future of the international organization with headquarters at Geneva depends on this being done.

QUEBEC POWER CONTRACTS

One subject that, so far as is known was not discussed at the Dominion-Provincial Conference at Ottawa was the financial effect of the action of Ontario in proclaiming the legislation canceling the Quebec power contracts. This is a matter of concern in its bearing on the credit of the Dominion as a whole. It is a repudiation of a province's contractual obligations to thousands of investors in Canada, Great Britain and the United States. It affects provincial credit directly and Federal credit indirectly and is perhaps as bad a thing financially of its character as could have happened. Its probable effect should have occupied a leading place on the agenda at the late conference in relation to its bearing on future loans, either Federal or provincial.

It may be recalled that when the legislation was first passed its effect in the London money markets was immediate. A Dominion Government conversion loan had been proposed in Great Britain. Those who were prepared to take that loan, on hearing of the action of the Ontario Legislature, washed their hands of the whole affair. London financiers could not recommend their clients to invest money where a series of power contracts involving tens of millions of dollars faced cancellation. Now that cancellation has come about. The Dominion Government, which is intimately concerned, has made no statement on the subject. None of the provinces seems to be concerned. It is a strange situation. The Federal Government has the power of disallowing the legislation, but there is no intimation of what is proposed.

In view of the proclamation of the repudiating legislation the question of refunding the national debt and co-operation between the Dominion and the provinces in the scaling down of the huge aggregate of provincial debts must be viewed from a new angle. What is aimed at will become more difficult because of the action of the Ontario Government. Any process of refunding implies confidence or a substantial belief in the credit of the parties seeking relief. It will be difficult in the future for any financial houses, or the people as a whole, to have such confidence in Ontario. The pity of it all is that the action of that province reflects adversely on the Dominion. It may well render nugatory any attempt of the Dominion to put into effect the financial decisions reached at the late Ottawa Conference.

REPUDIATION

The explanation given by Mr. Mackenzie King of the Government's repudiation of Dr. Riddell's proposal for the imposition of oil sanctions against Italy is of an illusory character. He says it had reference to the origin of the proposal, not to its merits. "It must be clearly understood," says the Prime Minister, "that Canada in its repudiation of its permanent representative's stand at Geneva, should not be regarded as also repudiating the proposal for the extension of sanctions. There has been no change in our attitude towards sanctions since we announced on October 29 last that we would adhere to the sanctions proposals then advanced to all members by the League of Nations committee."

What then is Canada's attitude on oil sanctions? Mr. King does not say. He has simply rebuked Canada's permanent representative at Geneva, and the rebuke must be very humiliating to Dr. Riddell. He intimates that Canada may support an extension of sanctions, but any proposal regarding such must come from some other country, not Canada. This country's representative at Geneva is to remain supine and silent. The taxpayers are contributing very substantially to the expenses of the League. Their representatives are entitled to play their part in the discussions and to show that membership connotes responsibilities. From the international standpoint the incident in which Dr. Riddell has figured is of no importance although it aroused caustic comment in the Italian press. It is simply an instance of the parochial outlook. This country has not yet reached the stage of appreciating what diplomatic usage means.

MISSING FLYERS

It is a perilous task and one that will be accompanied by many delays, that of organizing a search for the missing flyers Messrs. Lincoln Ellsworth and Hollick-Kenyon. The two men disappeared in a flight across the South Pole. In the search the United States, Great Britain and Australia are co-operating, and one means is the use of the research-ship Discovery II. Both missing men are noted flyers and well known in this country. Mr. Ellsworth worked on the first survey of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway transcontinental route and was also engaged in Canadian Pacific Railway construction west of Montreal. Mr. Hollick-Kenyon flew the first mail out of Calgary in 1930. He has the reputation of being one of the finest flyers in the Dominion. At one time he lived in the Okanagan Valley. He is very well known in the North country where he has made many flights. There is, as yet, no reason to give up hope for the missing men. Whatever mishap overtook their airplane was at some point removed from the possibility of communicating with the outside world. The flyers could, however, very possibly sustain themselves until aid reaches them. They are both men full of resource.

Canada's public debt in 1916 was $615,156,000. In 1934 it was $2,729,978,000, without taking into account an almost equal sum owed by the Government for indebtedness of the Canadian National Railways. Public debts are mounting to amazing heights. That of the United States in 1916 was $1,225,000,000 and in 1934 it was $30,000,000,000. It is being added to steadily in the effort to spend a way to prosperity.

Mr. Vincent Massey, new High Commissioner of Canada in London, has told the Canadian Club there that the progress of this Dominion during the past year has been steady and unbroken. Had he told the same tale in the course of the late election campaign the probability is that he would not have received the appointment to London. It is interesting, however, to know now that he is quite satisfied with Canada's fortunes under the administration of the Bennett Government.

A GREAT GENTLEMAN

When I first knew him, he was plain John Buchan, writing the best Scotch novels since Robert Louis Stevenson.

Then, in 1918, he was Col. John Buchan of the British wartime press bureau, shrewd, kindly, and deft, handling a bunch of rampaging American correspondents as gently as though they were so many new-laid eggs and he, personally, had laid every last one of them.

When he became Sir John Buchan, a lot of us said: "Well, he earned his honors, but no title can ever swell that Scot's head."

Now, at Ottawa, the flags fly and the cannons roar for Baron Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of our noble neighbor nation to the north, but, if His Lordship doesn't mind, I'd like personally, to go on thinking of him as my friend, John Buchan, a very great gentleman.

They'll like him up there; we're going to like him down here. And, if any of you Canadians has any doubt as to his diversified talents, wait till you see him casting a trout-fly across a likely pool.—Irvin S. Cobb.

A man is like a bit of Labrador spar, which has no lustre as you turn it in your hand, until you come to a particular angle; then it shows deep and beautiful colors. There is no adaptation or universal applicability in men, but each has his special talent, and the mastery of successful men consists in adroitly keeping themselves where and when that turn shall be oftenest to be practised.—Emerson.

There is nothing so insupportable to man as to be in entire repose, without occupation, amusement, or application. Then it is that he feels his own nothingness, isolation, insignificance, dependent nature, powerlessness, emptiness. Immediately there issue from his soul ennui, sadness, chagrin, vexation, despair.
—Pascal.

It is because we have but a small portion of enjoyment ourselves that we feel so little pleasure in the good fortune of others. Is it possible for the happy to be envious?—W. B. Clulow.

There are many more shining qualities in the mind of man, but there is none so useful as discretion.
—Addison.

A friendship that makes the least noise is very often the most useful; for which reason I should prefer a prudent friend to a zealous one.—Addison.

It is easy for a man who sits idle at home, and has nobody to please but himself, to ridicule or censure the common practices of mankind.—Johnson.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., December 17, 1935.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The barometer remains low on the Northern Coast, and mild weather is general from the Coast to the Rockies. Fair, moderately cold weather is reported in the Prairies.

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	.03	40	47
Nanaimo	--	.07	41	45
Vancouver	--	.08	40	50
Kamloops	--	--	32	36
Prince George	--	--	32	34
Estevan Point	--	.40	46	52
Prince Rupert	--	.16	38	42
Atlin	--	--	4	34
Dawson	.80	--	8b	6
Seattle	--	.01	36	50
Portland	--	--	38	42
San Francisco	--	--	44	56
Spokane	--	--	22	36
Los Angeles	--	--	52	74
Penticton	--	--	36	--
Vernon	--	--	31	--
Grand Forks	--	--	26	40
Nelson	--	--	26	36
Kaslo	--	--	29	--
Calgary	--	--	26	42
Edmonton	--	--	12	32
Swift Current	--	--	18	46
Prince Albert	--	--	8	26
Saskatoon	--	--	2	20
Qu'Appelle	--	--	16	36
Winnipeg	--	--	10	24
Moose Jaw	--	--	12	34
Sunday—				
Toronto	--	--	24	28
Ottawa	--	--	24	26
Montreal	--	--	30	30
Saint John	--	--	32	36
Halifax	--	--	32	44

MONDAY

Minimum	40
Maximum	47
Average	43
Minimum on the grass	35

Weather, raining; sunshine, 30 minutes.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N. 12 miles; raining.

Vancouver — Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 12 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.34; calm; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.04; calm; fair.

Prince Rupert — Barometer, 29.76; wind, S.E., 16 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.04; wind, S.E., 16 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S., 20 miles; cloudy.

Portland — Barometer, 30.26; wind, S.E., 2 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.20; wind, S., 8 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N.E., 4 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The time is out of joint: O cursed spite!
That ever I was born to set it right.
—Shakespeare.

When there are wheels whirling within wheels, a competent technocrat can regulate them. When there are wheels whirling within human heads, not even an accomplished psychologist can control them, unless psychology has become a science, and exact. Figuratively speaking, there are wheels whirling in the heads of many of the diplomats and politicians directing the affairs of the nations of the world today—or misdirecting them, as the case may me. When a man is believed to have whirling wheels in his head, men endowed with level heads say that man is mad. There is another and more popular definition of the term madness—that is the man with wheels in his head is buggy or batty.

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All the mad or wild men are not directing the political or diplomatic affairs of Europe. We have wild men or batty men in Canada, too. When those whirling wheels within human heads slip a cog, there is a crash, usually followed by a good deal of trouble, certainly some confusion. If Italy has her Mussolini and the United States her Townsend, Canada has her Hepburn, her Aberhart and possibly some others near home who might be mentioned without direct specification. One wild man has caused a lot of trouble, and may cause a lot more, for the diplomats of Europe, and heaps of trouble for the diplomats of Great Britain.

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That may be the British diplomats' own fault in trying to act the part of the peacemakers of all the nations. We remember stating some time ago that the way of the peacemaker, like the way of the transgressor, is hard. Persons of experience know very well that it is hard enough to keep perfect peace in a family and that to attempt to keep peace in the affairs of neighboring families invites trouble. We supported that statement with what we believed to be adequate proof. We said when discussing the League of Nations that when meetings were held for the discussion of international problems there would be difference of opinion, and that as a consequence of those differences of opinion there would be strife and recriminations.

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The state of affairs in Europe today demonstrates the soundness of our conclusions. Great Britain is the dominant power in the League, and the smaller powers have looked to her for leadership. She has led the movement for curbing the ambitions of Mussolini, but has not received loyal support from some of the nations, including Canada, which loyally should have supported her. She has met hostility abroad and incurred censure at home. Her object has been to save Ethiopia. It has not been to humiliate Italy, but to preserve the peace of the world. The argument has been submitted to her by both high diplomatic and high ecclesiastical authority that after all the Italian dictator restored and has maintained national law and order in his country and that to undermine the system he has set up might result in chaos and darkest night. If international disorder were precipitated, no one is competent to correctly estimate the consequences. The conditions are not reassuring in either France or Germany. The circumstances are so critical that a spark might start another international conflagration.

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It appears to be a choice between two evils. The salvation of Abyssinia might mean the destruction of other nations. It may not be possible to gain peace with honor, but it should be possible to adjust the position as between the combatants without national dishonor. It is said the situation involves the future, that is, the life or death of the League of Nations. We should hesitate to say, but nevertheless we believe, that the death and burial of the League might not be a bad thing for the nations, and that assuredly it would be a good thing for Great Britain. A League of Nations, if it is to function at all, must function with the support of all the nations. It could not accomplish any lasting results without international unity. Some of the most powerful of the nations are not members of the League, and some of the most powerful of the nations with membership are secretly hostile to its policy regarding the affairs of Italy and Ethiopia. That is why sanctions have failed of their purpose. The dictator knows that, and it is the reason why he is determined to pursue his end to a definite conclusion. The British Government should have learned by experience that the business of any nation is to attend strictly to its own national business, not to provoke resentment by interfering in the business of other nations. To follow any other course is to get more kicks than halfpence. National security does not depend upon the goodwill of rival nations, but on the strength to defend itself against aggression. That may seem a doctrine of diabolism, but it is a palpable truth, notwithstanding our advanced state of civilization. Human nature has changed but little since the days when Adam dolve and Eve span and the succeeding ethics of the cave man.

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The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Do You Know That

During the past two Winters Minesings' hockey team won the championship of Barrie Town League. Few, if any, hockey teams in Canada this year or any other can beat Minesing's record for longevity in harness. The age of five regulars total 199 years. Two Foystons are on the club, both brothers of Frank Foyston, who played for Victoria Cougars. One is forty-three and the other thirty-seven . . . The every day "lead" pencil does not contain lead; the composition is graphite and clay . . . Statistics on a new map of the world issued by the National Geographic Society give the total mass of the earth as 6,587,406,000,000,000,000,000 tons. . . . The name Gob as applied to navy men is of Chinese derivation. It comes from the Chinese word meaning sailor. The word came into use when the fleet was in the Far East . . . There were thirty-two million-dollar incomes last year compared with forty-six in 1933. In the U.S. in the boom year, 1929, million dollar incomes were reported by 513 people.—J.D.

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Ask Us Another

Inpertinent question: Why do so many older folks and those unfortunate enough to be crippled walk against traffic signs and step out from between parked automobiles into lanes of traffic?—N.A.C.M.

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Odds and Ends

We witnessed an odd procedure at a banquet held by life assurance men. A diner emptied a small pile of salt on the tablecloth, moistened a finger and rubbed the salted finger over his lips after finishing his meal. The day was Friday, December 13, and it may have had some connection with the ritual . . . Men we do not envy—the hardy individual who goes in for a swim in Horse Shoe Bay every evening about 6:30 oclock . . . We know a policeman who visits Esquimalt Lagoon in the dead of night to search for clams and crabs. Wonder if he pit-lamps them . . . "Stand up all those who believe in Santa Claus," boomed the chairman at a meeting of war veterans in Spencer's dining-room. Every man rose to his feet. Santa Claus took the shape of a round of Tom and Jerries . . . "Have you kept a chart of the moving picture actor's progress?" asked the doctor. 'No, doctor," replied the nurse, "but I can show you my diary."—G.B.

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Revealing Secrets

Advice to the lovelorn—that small contingent of candidates who woo the voters with promises of economy with efficiency—is given in a story by Alderman Walter Luney. The story has a moral. The moral is never believe everything you hear. Ald. Luney, while not a candidate in the civic election, was standing with other candidates at the poll on Thursday when a friend rushed by him. He waved and shouted "hello" at the voter, who merely glanced around. At noon the voter telephoned Alderman Luney to explain that he meant no offence in passing by and assured the alderman he had voted for him. Ald. Luney thanked him and said if he looked at the results he would be quite surprised. Telling the story later to Edward Williams, who was also a candidate, Mr. Williams, after hearing the yarn, expressed consternation as follows: "I'll be a son-of-a-gun. That fellow told me he had 'plumped' his vote for me."—P.C.R.

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Thrift

Did you ever talk thrift with a Scotsman? Man, it's an experience! He swept his desk clear with a brawny arm, and glared at me: "Thrift, and do you think we can get it? We elect governments and appoint cabinet ministers at $6,000 a year, and all they do is go somewhere else, and appoint commissions and committees to rule in their place. Thrift is it? Take this province. It has been spending around $30,000,000 a year on an income little over $20,000,000; and it is still doing it. Every time business gets its head a little above water, along comes a new tax. I have been giving employment to forty men in the last five years, and there has not been a cent in it, save the satisfaction of keeping the organization together. Meanwhile, governments are multiplying their 'services' like rabbits. This province had good government in the early days; men who knew the value of money. Well, unless there is economy in public business, there will soon be no business."—S.G.

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Very Nice of Her

This one is the height of something or other: A woman intending to move into an apartment building visited all the occupants and said: "As I am going to rent one of the flats here I would like all radios off after nine o'clock, so I will not be disturbed. Also when I move in an apartment I intend staying at least two years. —S.K.M.

"Has your son's college education been of any value?"

"Oh, yes; it cured his mother of bragging about him."

Make this Christmas something more than December 25 for the poor—Help the Salvation Army Christmas Fund.

'My Kitchen Window'

"When poems are cut out of newspapers and pinned above sinks, and committed to memory by busy women in house dresses as they peel potatoes or wash dishes . . . has not such a poet achieved fame? Edna Jaques is such a poet, a scrap-book poet, a loose-leaf poet, writing every day the things she sees and feels."

This comment of Nellie McClung's should be permitted in referring to the latest (Thomas Allen) publication of Edna Jaque's poems. The collection is entitled "My Kitchen Window," a name which neatly epitomises the foregoing paragraph.

Edna Jaques, as everybody here should know by this time, lives in Victoria. She came here from the Prairies, where she spent most of her life, developed her philosophy, and wrote most of the verses assembled in this eighty-three-page collection. The majority of them suggest the Prairie background, the Prairie home, the Prairie people, landscape and weather—all subjects treated with loving and intimate touch and with a simplicity of thought that is both sympathetic and refreshing.

Through all the verses runs a thread of philosophy, the philosophy of contentment with small things, of joy in the humble task. Where there is a religious trend it is the spirit of the Sermon on the Mount: "Blessed are the poor." Keenly aware of the hardness of life on the farm (she herself was brought up on a Prairie farm), there is no bitterness in her reflections. She sees too much beauty in the commonplace, has too deep an appreciation of the innate kindliness and neighborliness of her fellow-beings. This, undoubtedly, is one of the principal reasons why her verses are so popular with rural dwellers, who constitute the majority of her readers. Her verse, too, has an easy and natural meter. Simple things are only profound when simply said.

The first poem in the collection, "My Kitchen Window," must have been written in Victoria. Certainly the picture on the cover-wrap, done by Maude Paget, is taken through a Victoria window, looking down a Victoria street and out across the straits into the Olympics. The collection is dedicated to the author's daughter, one of the many revelations of strong mother sentiment.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

"TO DOG LOVERS"

Sir,—One need not have much veterinary knowledge to be able to confirm the assumption of your correspondent, J. Stafford, that a certain amount of flesh, including bone, is necessary for the best functioning of the bodies of adult carnivorous animals, including dogs. But your correspondent should not be amazed that Mrs. Cheriton Holgate has shown feeling and even resentment in the matter of the feeding of another man's (or woman's) dog. Nor should he suppose that such a display of emotion is peculiar to Victoria or due in any way to its climate.

The phenomenon has been observed elsewhere. In the "out back" of Australia, for example, it may be a social offence even to pat the head of the dog of a lonely cattle or sheep ranger.

When in Sydney last year I read a book newly published by a well-known Australian journalist which describes how a stranger, arriving at an "out back" cattle station in Queensland, stooped to caress a strange dog. The next moment he found himself knocked down by the fist of the outraged owner of the dog, who subsequently explained to him that such things were not done in places where a dog often meant more than a wife to a man. And we all know that in places far more civilized than the Queensland hinterland a dog may mean more than any man to a woman.

WAKEFIELD RAINEY, M.R.C.V.S.

James Bay Hotel, Victoria, B.C., December 15, 1935.

LIFEBOAT ASSOCIATION

Sir,—This letter is the twenty-eighth of the series being issued with the authority of the directors of the Vancouver Island Lifeboat Association. Since the last letter was written on January 29, much important work has been done in training recruits for the Clover Point Station and for a new station in formation to be established at the Oak Bay boathouse.

During the Summer, the writer of this letter visited the Old Country, when he was received at the headquarters of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution, 42 Grosvenor Gardens, London, and a set of photographs of the boat and crew at Clover Point were shown to the secretary and staff. He was asked to convey the sincere congratulations of the secretary, Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Satterthwait, to the directors of the V.I.L.A. at the achievment in providing such a suitable boat, crew, slipway and boathouse for such a small expenditure of money. These congratulations also covered the building up of the volunteer organization of coast watchers and for sending distress calls promptly through the Provincial Police.

Colonel Satterthwait laid special emphasis on the importance of keeping all lifeboats as light as possible and in having each one designed to suit the particular coast problems of each station. Rescue work by shore-boats has always been encouraged and regarded by the R.N.L.I., and during 1934 out of 354 lives rescued, 276 were by lifeboats and seventy-eight by shore-boats.

Number two boat of the association which is temporarily stationed at the Oak Bay boathouse is being used to train two "eight-men" crews under the direction of Mr. K. R. Genn and Captain J. A. Phillipsen. Special attention is being given to a system for the speedy assembly of a crew for fast service to answer a call for rescue. This additional station has been chosen by the directors with the approval of the British Columbia police as filling a long felt want. There is, however, certain equipment of a vital nature wanting for this boat and its absence unnecessarily endangers the lives of the volunteer crew each time they answer a call of distress. The directors appeal urgently for two hundred annual subscribers of one dollar each, especially to the heads of families, to become annual members and thus have all equipment ready to save somebody's son or daughter from a cold watery grave. The following members will issue membership cards to new members: Mr. K. R. Genn, 611 Sayward Block; Mr. D. R. McIntosh, at the Foothealth Shop, 1425 Douglas Street, and Captain E. Housley, at The Royal Trust Company, Government Street.

On behalf of the V.I.L.A.

F. V. LONGSTAFF, Major.

Office of the association, Room 611, Sayward Building, Victoria, B.C., December 14, 1935.

ON BEING FREE

Sir,—If one who has too often offended against your canon for brevity in letters may still have space to say it, I think the paragraphs of today's Colonist under above caption, in a column always stored to overflowing with wit, wisdom and intellectual food, are even more than usually full of luminous thought. Summarizing the four authorities whose ideas you so lucidly epitomtize, it seems to come to something like this: Individuals and peoples have just so much of liberty as they deserve, as they are willing and unafraid to stand for against all aggressors, whether usurpers or constitutionally authorized powers, as they have the guts to fight for and hold to the last jot and tittle in spite of all tyrannies — be they of mobs, or of dictators or of oligarchies. A glance back over ten centuries at the growth and evolution of the things we speak of as the English Constition and the Common Law of England and at their application and development in our overseas dominions makes this evident to every fair-minded thinker.

To one looking only at the three great nations now fallen away from any pretence at clinging to even a fragment of this thing called liberty, it would appear that today we might well adapt Burke's dictum about chivalry, and write up as an epitaph for this poor world of the twentieth century—"The days of liberty are past." To a slave under the Soviet, the Nazi or the Fascist regime, who has the right to work—but no choice of a job—to fight—for his master—and to eat—when and if his food is not seized and exported by that master—but no right to express his thoughts and wishes either verbally, through a free press or by vote, it matters little the classification of his system of government whether it be a monarchy, a republic or a soviet. As to his education and religion, they, too, are things arranged for him, not by him. If his children go to school, they must grow up atheists, pagans or blind followers in the leading strings of a blind and futile hierarchy.

Look at the religions of the world—not at that mystic spiritual body of believers He made His holy church, but at the visible, the institutional, manifestations of so-called religion. To the man in the street they appear as nothing but a polycephaloid monster at war with and tearing itself to bits. Does that hydra-like atrocity to any extent show fruits of that Christian freedom and brotherly love which are laid down by the church's great Founder and Lord as its foundation principle? Too often the very opposite. Bigotry and intolerance for the beliefs and teachings of fellow-Christians are still far from uncommon—nay, even find occasional expression from the pulpits of our most highly endowed and nation-wide churches. In St. Peter's chair at Rome sits he—Vicegerent on Earth for the Prince of Peace—whose voice and great influence all hoped would have been effective in holding back from aggression that wonderful people whose armies are the successors of Caesar's legions. What has been heard from the Vatican? Promises to say something soon! "Verba non acta!" What are the Christian nations doing to stop the slaughter of innocent women, children and doctors in Ethiopia and to preserve to that ancient people that freedom which is as dear to a black as to his white-skinned brother-man? Sitting around council-tables, wrangling over and postponing the day when the proposed economic sanctions will be enforced on the offending nation! Concocting settlements which they well know can not with honor be accepted by Ethiopia, and will not, without a substantial "quid pro quo" as a reward to iniquity, be agreed to by Italy.

One wireless word to the fleets of France and England in the Mediterranean could and should be given—even at this eleventh hour—and would be more in line with their profession as peacemakers, and more effective in instantly, with the help of God, bringing peace to pass than a twelve-month verbal dilly-dallying in the halls of Geneva.

Meanwhile (to adopt Dean Inge's words), "one member is suffering"—and all decent Christendom is suffering with that member. Not only from Ethiopia goes up the cry, "O Lord, how long?"

F. W. L. MOORE, Lieut.-Col., R.L.

3249 Quadra Street, Victoria, B.C., December 12, 1935.

Husband — "I don't see why it was necessary to call the doctor when the baby had only a trifling cough."

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FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of December 17, 1885)

Personal News—John Patterson, of this city, returned on Tuesday from Kamloops Lake, where he has been staying during the past Summer. It is his intention to stay here during the Winter months. J. B. Carlyle, agent and inspector of the North American Life Insurance Company, arrived yesterday. He left weather forty degrees below zero six days ago, and found here—Summer! James Burns is on his way home. Jamel Angus and Miss Angus will shortly arrive at Victoria to remain for the Winter. Walter Langley, J.P., of Basque Ranch, is at Maplehurst.

New Westminster Reserves—Next Tuesday an important auction sale of city reserves and gardens will take place at New Westminster. The object of this vendue is to secure funds to subsidize the Canadian Pacific Railway for bringing their railway to the Royal City. It is believed that railway connection will greatly enhance the value of real estate in that town, and that the lots now offered will advance rapidly in the coming Spring, when railway work will begin.

W.C.T.U. Officers—The annual election of officers for the W.C.T.U. was held at Maple Ridge in November, with the following result: President, Mrs. George Howison; vice-president, Mrs. Secomb Christine Sinclair and Mrs. Ferguson; recording secretary, Miss Minnie Vaser; corresponding secretary, Mrs. David Webber; treasurer, Miss Minnie Irving.

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AUDITORIUM SUM IS SET

City Council Votes $7,500 For Oaklands Addition—Want to See Plans

The sum of $7,500 was voted by the City Council last night for the purpose of erecting an auditorium at Oaklands School. However, the school board will have to submit new plans based on this price.

Alderman Archie Wills again brought up the matter of wages, asking if any provision was being made to pay a decent living wage to those working on the construction.

Alderman Walter Luney stated the contractors would be pleased if a definite wage scale was set, inasmuch as this would simplify tendering on contracts.

The matter will be taken up again before the contract is awarded.

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Two Women Hurt When Motor Cars Collide In City

Bruises and shock were suffered by Mrs. Martha Gillam and Mrs. J. H. W. Roskamp, both of 403 Kingston Street, and they were removed to St. Joseph's Hospital, yesterday afternoon, following a collision between the automobile in which they were passengers, and a fish truck, at the intersection of Belleville and Government Streets. Mrs. Roskamp, who has been ill for some time, was being conveyed to hospital in a car driven by Knud Henry, 539 Dunedin Street, police said.

Mrs. Roskamp was detained at hospital, while Mrs. Gillam was allowed to go home after treatment.

Both cars overturned after the collision, and fish from the truck, driven by Jack Conway, Sidney, were scattered over the intersection, according to police reports.

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GOVERNMENT MAKING READY FOR DEBATE

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but wants some other points on the Eritrean coast given to Selassie to build a port of his own.

3. Italy wants a railway link between the colonization zone and the port of Massau, Eritrea.

4. Italy wants economic concessions in Harar Province.

5. Italy does not want to give up the holy city of Aksum, on grounds that the Coptic clergy who went over to the Italian flag would be massacred by the Ethiopians when the city was returned to Haile Selassie's rule.

NO SECRET AGREEMENT

Following emergency talks with his ministers, Prime Minister Baldwin appeared in the Commons today and denied charges that France and Britain had reached a secret agreement on application of an oil embargo against Italy.

Much significance was attached to a visit made by United States Ambassador Robert W. Bingham to the Foreign Office. It was learned that Bingham sought clarification of the Government's point of view on the latest developments in the European situation arising from the peace plan tangle.

Another significant development was a visit by Italian Ambassador Dino Grandi to the Foreign Office.

LABORITES ATTACK

In the House of Commons, Laborites attacked the Government strongly. Shinwell charged that Premier Mussolini saw the peace plan before either Emperor Haile Selassie or Geneva.

Eden replied: "These proposals were presented to the head of the Italian Government by His Majesty's Ambassador to Rome at 5:30 p.m., on December 11. They were handed to the assistant minister of Foreign Affairs at Addis Ababa by His Majesty's Ambassador on the morning of December 13.

"The proposals were handed to the secretary-general for circulation among the League Council on the afternoon of December 13."

"Why was simultaneous issue not arranged, and why should there have been such delay in presenting the text to the secretary-general of the League?" the Labor member persisted.

SIMULTANEOUS DISPATCH

"There was simultaneous dispatch," Eden replied, "but it is not in the power of His Majesty's Government to arrange simultaneous presentation."

The peace plan was described as "shameful" by Hugh Dalton, Labor, who asked for a new Government statement of the plan. Asked to wait until Thursday's debate, Dalton presented the following written question: "Whether His Majesty's Government has now decided on what date they will carry out their treaty obligations under Article XVI of the Covenant by prohibiting the supplying of oil to Italy?"

"As the House knows," Eden replied, "the application of sanctions through the League is governed not only by Article XVI but by resolutions adopted by the Assembly in 1921, and on this basis the League has been working consistently."

FORMAL REJECTION

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DESSYE, Dec. 16.—Emperor Haile Selassie has communicated to his diplomatic representatives at Geneva and Paris a qualified formal rejection of the Anglo-French peace plan, it was learned from an authoritative source here tonight.

His refusal to consider the recommendations is based on a series of juridical arguments, including the charge that the plan had its foundation in the premises of the three-power treaty of 1906 which was never recognized by Ethiopia, it was said.

FAVORING CONCILIATION

GENEVA, Dec. 16 (AP).—A move to back Article XV of the Covenant of the League of Nations, providing for conciliation, seemed tonight to be the favored policy in League circles groping for the best way to handle the Italo-Ethiopian conflict.

Despite contrary rumors, officials announced that the council would meet Wednesday as scheduled. It is to take up the Ethiopian question, but may not really come to grips with it until Friday, following the debate Thursday in the British House of Commons on the foreign situation.

WAITING FOR BRITAIN

League leaders admitted they foresaw difficulty in reaching a decision on the Anglo-French peace proposals until the council knows exactly how far Britain will back this project.

A renewed effort to settle the war by conciliation without abandonment of sanctions, although perhaps suspending them, was advocated by delegates of some of the smaller nations, especially those having large Italian populations.

ASKS CLARIFICATION

PARIS, Dec. 16 (CP-Havas).—Italian Ambassador Vittorio Cerruti visited Premier Laval tonight to ask clarification of a number of points in the Anglo-French peace plan.

M. Laval also received British Ambassador Sir George Russell Clerk, but the Foreign Office made no announcement of what they discussed.

Premier Laval will leave for Geneva tomorrow night to attend the League of Nations Council session Wednesday. Shortly before he quits Paris he will make an important declaration on the peace plan in the Chamber of Deputies, it was announced.

THE WAR GOES ON

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ROME, Dec. 16.—Premier Mussolini called more troops to the colors today, while the officially-inspired newspaper Gornale D'Italia argued that "the war in Ethiopia can take its natural course without threatening the outside world."

Non-commissioned officers, engineers and sanitary detachments of the classes of 1909 and 1910 were called to service, apparently to swell the unbroken exodus of forces toward East Africa. Meanwhile Il Duce remained silent on his expected reply to the Anglo-French peace proposal.

GYRO CLUB TO BE VERY BUSY

Arrangements Made for Prompt Action in Distributing Christmas Hampers

At the Gyro luncheon yesterday in the Empress Hotel, the time was given over largely to a discussion of arrangements for the distribution throughout the city, Oak Bay and Esquimalt of Christmas hampers. The present week is to be a very busy one and a call was made for members of the club to be prepared to give every hour possible to the work in hand.

THANKS TENDERED

The thanks of the club were given to all who had assisted with the radio programmes so far. In this connection, the Rotary Club was given special thanks inasmuch as that club voluntarily came forward and offered to put over the evening's programme, which had been an excellent money-raiser for the work in hand.

The next luncheon, on Monday, December 23, will be a Christmas gathering. On December 30 there will be no luncheon by the Gyros, but on January 2 the Gyros will join with the Rotary Club in a luncheon meeting when other service clubs will attend as well as the new council board and school board.

WIN PRIZES

A list of prize winners in connection with the Christmas Cheer funds was read at the meeting. The winners were Harry Holder, J. D. Tait (New Westminster), C. Long (Vancouver(, B. Gow, T. H. Ellett, E. H. Robinson, Mrs. A. T. Goodman, H. C. Frew (Vancouver), Mrs. Garesche, J. L. Martin (James Island), Miss E. Crawford, Dr. John Stewart, T. Robb (James Island), T. Perkins, Mrs. W. J. Drysdale, K. Smith, L. C. Sneed, John McDonald, C. Lewis, T. T. Gale, Arthur T. Parker (Rocky Point), R. Burnsill, W. R. Ridington (Vancouver), Fred McGregor, J. A. Profit, A. E. Popham, R. R. Smith, D. C. Hamilton, B. G. Hamilton, Miss J. Burnett, Miss C. Johnson, E. Hodney, L. M. Blake, J. D. Macfarlane, Miss J. Drever, Robert Crawford, Mrs. Mesgave (Maple Bay), G. Sluggett, F. Crickard (Vancouver), Mrs. Kenning, F. Burton, H. S. Stubbs, F. Briggs, N. Foster, W. Skilling, G. Church, Capt. W. Balcom, L. M. Butler, W. McGregor, R. F. Kaltenbach, Miss Smethurst, L. Kennedy, W. Richards (Nanaimo), C. Rhodes, Hugh Calvin, David Mahon, Pearl Noble, George Leckie, J. Thornton (Royal Oak), Miss M. Morry (Lake Hill), Mrs. Matthews, J. C. Banner, C. Booth, F. Appleby and Mrs. Hume.

Motorists get into most trouble nowadays not in trying to keep up with the Jonses but in trying to pass them.

OLD SOLDIER PASSES AWAY

Major Andrew Mulcahy Succumbs at Residence Here—Funeral Wednesday

Major Andrew Mulcahy, aged seventy-five years, died yesterday, at his home, 1007 Esquimalt Road.

Major Mulcahy was well known to school boys of twenty years ago in his capacity of cadet instructor for city schools from 1906 to 1912. He was also prominent in municipal politics, having held the post of school trustee in Esquimalt for a number of years.

Major Mulcahy was born in Dublin, Ireland, and had resided here for forty-eight years. He was attached to the Garrison artillery for many years, entering its service in Quebec in 1880, and served as a sergeant in the Riel Rebellion of 1885.

SENT TO VICTORIA

Major Mulcahy returned to Kingston following that campaign, and was appointed a sergeant instructor. Shortly after he was sent to Victoria with "C" Battery to organize a garrison here.

He was a sergeant-major of the force sent North from Victoria on H.M.S. Caroline to suppress an Indian uprising in the Skeena River district, but, according to records, there was no fighting, the Indians fleeing at the sight of the red coats.

"C" Battery was recalled to Quebec in 1903, and Sergeant-Major Mulcahy was transferred to the Fifth Regiment, Royal Canadian Artillery Corps, a month after his return East as sergeant-major instructor. He was identified with the Fifth Regiment, which later became the Canadian Garrison Artillery, until 1906, and was one of the five who represented the regiment at the coronation of King Edward VII. In May, 1910, he was granted a commission. Five years later he was appointed a captain, and on his retirement in 1919, he was gazetted a major.

RELATIVES HERE

Major Mulcahy is survived by his widow, and one daughter, Miss Kathleen Mulcahy, at home; six sons, P. J., W. A., A. M. and R. I. Mulcahy, here; O. R. Mulcahy, in Duluth, and A. J. Mulcahy, in Whaletown, B.C.; and eleven grandchildren.

Military honors will be accorded the late soldier. Mass will be celebrated by Rev. A. B. Wood at the Church of Our Lady Queen of Peace, Esquimalt, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Arrangements are being directed by Sands Mortuary, Ltd.

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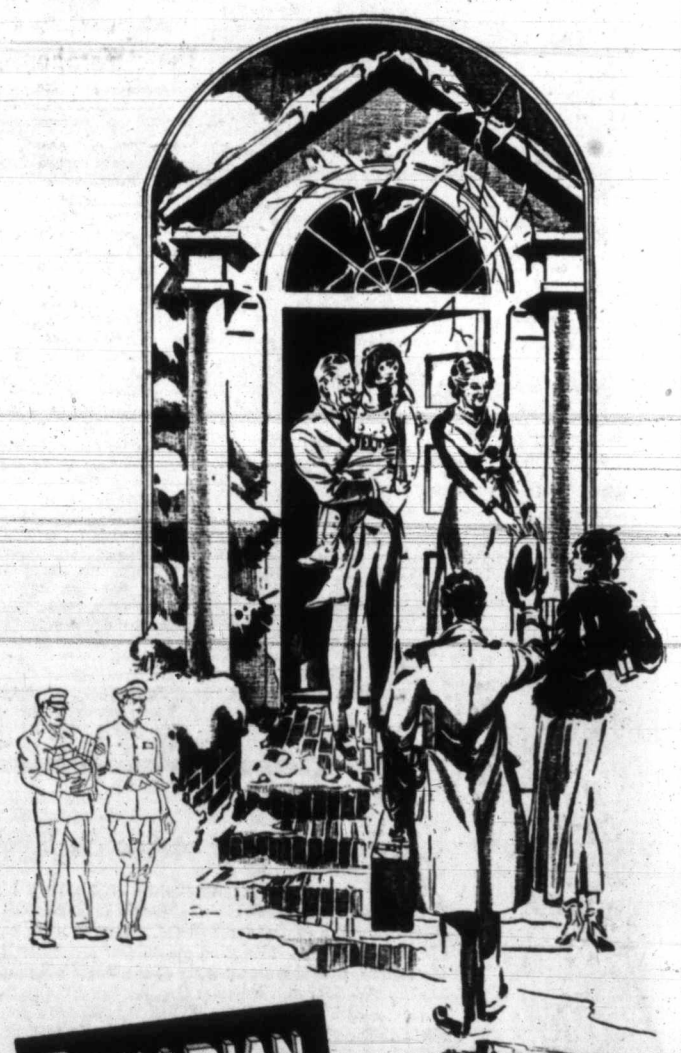

For Christmas and New Year travel special fares have been arranged. Return tickets between any points in Canada at a single fare and a quarter or single fare and a third, depending on time limit and date of commencement, are available. Children under five years of age, when accompanied by parent or guardian, travel free, and between that age and twelve years, at one-half of these special fares. (Minimum adult fare 50c.)

To those who are unable to visit personally their friends and relatives in other parts of Canada, we suggest that this year they should make a gift which will at once reflect the thoughtfulness of the donor and be highly appreciated by the recipient—a rail ticket. The nearest C. N. R. Agent will be glad to attend to all details and the ticket will be delivered promptly. And, of course, in doing this, advantage can be taken of the special fares.

The inconvenience of sending parcel gifts is now largely eliminated by the railway express companies. Packages will be called for and delivered promptly at any address within express cartage limits at all principal points. The express charges are very low, and there is no additional charge for picking up and delivering. Full information may be obtained from any Canadian National Express Office.

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Money gifts may also be sent by wire to any part of the world. The C. N. R. services for issuing drafts, money orders and travellers' cheques are of special interest and convenience at this season of the year.

In every branch of its activities the C. N. R. seeks to perform its duties according to the highest standards. Your enquiries are solicited.

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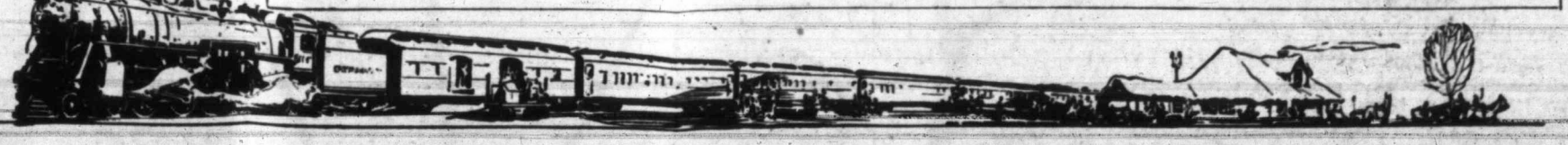

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To Give One-Act Playlet Tonight

A promising local playwright will experience his premiere tonight when the Beaux-Arts present Maurice Humber's one-act play, "Protection." Those taking part in the playlet will be Mary Lindgren, Gordon Fraser, Muriel Dunsmuir and Brian Green. Mr. Humber is also directing his play.

The occasion will be the regular monthly meeting of the society, in the clubrooms, St. Ann's Hall, Blanshard and View Streets. Other details in the programme will be a dramalogue, "Sham," the cast including Barbara Lloyd-Young, Angela Davis, Philip Heal, Denis Humphreys, D'Arcy McLeish; solo by Richard George, accompanied by Brian Burdon-Murphy; solo by Robert Kirkwood, accompanied by Dr. J. F. Mercer.

There will be an indoor track meet before refreshments and dancing.

Hospital Grant Sponsors Suffer Another Setback

St. Joseph's Hospital Case for Financial Assistance Now to Be Carried to Union of B.C. Municipalities—Institution Loses $28,000 Taking Care of City's Indigent Patients

SUPPORTERS of the claim that St. Joseph's Hospital is entitled to civic financial assistance suffered another setback at the City Council last night. However, they won the approval of the City Council to carry the fight to the Union of British Columbia Municipalities.

For some years the St. Joseph's Hospital has been making a plea for financial aid and the council has generally gone on verbal record as in favor of giving aid, but legal difficulties stood in the way.

At last night's meeting a letter was read from the deputy attorney-general, stating that any amendment that the city might suggest to the Hospital Act that would give Victoria the power to make a grant to more than one hospital would be considered.

Alderman James Adam moved and Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter seconded a motion that the City Council make application for an amendment to the act. The proposer pointed out that the St. Joseph's Hospital "had gone in the red to the extent of $28,000" last year in order to take care of city indigents.

PASSING BUCK

Alderman P. R. Brown opposed it on the ground that it was simply a question of the Government "passing the buck again." It was up to the Government to make the amendment and submit it to the municipalities. He could not concur in any action of the city that might be against the interest of other municipalities.

Alderman Adam suggested that it was Alderman Brown who was "passing the buck." The council knew what it wanted and could amend its own charter to provide for the grant, he contended.

Mayor David Leeming pointed out that last year St. Joseph's Hospital had 48,000 patient days. He suggested a grant of five cents per patient day. This would amount to $2,500 a year.

Alderman Alex Peden agreed with Alderman Brown. He felt it was up to the Provincial Government. Already the city and other municipalities had had to assume many of the Government's responsibilities in the matter of social service.

He pointed out that the city had asked the Government to compel Saanich to pay its share of hospital cost to the city, but the Government had failed to act and Saanich was throwing an annual expense of $9,000 a year onto the city taxpayer.

SIDE-STEPPING

Alderman R. A. C. Dewar supported Alderman Brown, although like the rest of the aldermen, he admitted the justice of the hospital's claim. "If we side-step this issue, we shall have to side-step others. As long as we assume the reponsibility, the Government never will," he declared. "I think we should stick to our fight to secure a grant to all hospitals from the Government and point out that if it would compel Saanich to pay its just share of hospital costs to the city, the city would assist St. Joseph's Hospital. In this way the city would not be the loser and the hospital would gain.

It was Alderman Andrew McGavin's contention that the council had lost sight of the fact "where are we going to get the money?"

He said it was all very well to talk of giving money to hospitals, doctors and publicity bureaus, but where was the city going going to raise the money?

KEEP RATE DOWN

"You talk of raising the mill rate, but I'm telling you right now that, so far as I am concerned, the mill rate is not going to be raised," he declared.

"Hear, hear," shouted Alderman John Worthington.

Alderman McGavin then suggested that the council take $10,000 out of the publicity bureau grant and donate it to the hospital.

It was finally decided to refer the matter to the Union of British Columbia Municipalities for consideration, and that Alderman James Adam be appointed as one of the delegates, so that he could personally fight the issue out at the convention.

LIONS DEFEAT EDMONTON, 2-1

EDMONTON, Dec. 16 (?).—Vancouver Lions forged farther into the lead of the Northwestern Professional Hockey League here tonight when they raced out in front early in their battle to gain a 2-0 lead over Edmonton Eskimos and then, in the dying moments of a stirring engagement, held the blubber-eaters to a single goal, winning 2-1.

Two goals by Frankie Sheppard gave the Vancouver pucksters their triumph. He scored the first goal on a pass from Bill Hutton. For the second counter, he slipped the puck by Defenceman Lorin Mercer and as Goalie Red McCusker came rushing out to stop the invader, Sheppard picked a corner in the yawning net.

Goalie Johnnie Clark of the visiting club was the most skilful and effective athlete on the ice. He kicked out flocks of rubber and the Eskimos were unlucky in not getting at least a draw. Vancouver left here tonight for Calgary, where they meet the Tigers Wednesday night.

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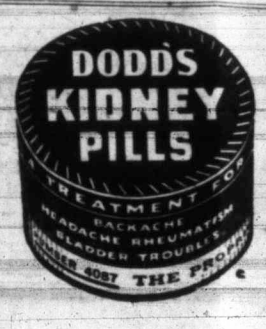

City and District

New Fireman—R. Behnsen was appointed to the fire department staff as a third class fireman by the City Council last night.

Council's Picture—Arrangements for taking a photograph of the 1935 council were left in the hands of the city clerk, M. F. Hunter, by the City Council last night.

To Give Concert—A concert of variety entertainment will be given in the Fairfield United Church next Monday at 7:30 p.m., under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. L. Barlow. Mr. and Mrs. R. McVie and family will be the assisting artists.

Bowling Green — Victoria West Brotherhood will be given the Victoria West bowling green at a nominal rental of $1 a year in future. This was decided by the City Council last night. The rental this year amounted to $100.

Thieves Wreck Car—Police are seeking thieves who on Saturday night stole an automobile owned by James Purdy, 118 Robertson Street, and within a short time wrecked the machine at the intersection of West Saanich Road and Durrance Cross-road.

Army and Navy Veterans—Victoria Unit No. 12, Army and Navy Veterans, will hold its general monthly meeting in the club rotunda, 514 Fort Street, on Thursday next at 8 p.m. As nominations for officers for the ensuing year will take place, all members are requested to attend.

Tree Removals—Removal of trees from fourteen streets in the city was authorized by the City Council last night. In many instances the trees are not on the boulevard, but where they are on boulevards, only every alternate tree will be removed. This is being done chiefly to improve lighting of streets.

Offers Band—Charles H. Rowles, organizer and conductor of Rowles' Boys' Band, has offered the services of the band to any organization seeking to raise funds for a charitable cause at this season of the year. Arrangements can be made by telephoning Mr. Rowles at Empire 9646 or Trustee P. E. George at Empire 4421.

Christmas Party—The Christmas Party Committee wishes to thank the following for cash donations: F. W. Nolte, J. E. Day, Mrs. Abrams and Mr. Brundson, Mrs. Colcough donated oranges. There are only four days left before the party and donations are still needed. Subscribers may get in touch with officials at 1327 Government Street.

To Give Play—The students of Lampson Street School, directed by Hugh Creelman, will present "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," an outstanding New York success, in the school auditorium tonight, Wednesday and Thursday at 8:15 o'clock. A portion of the proceeds will go to the Esquimalt Friendly Help Association.

Business Visit—Reporting better business up and down the Pacific Coast, L. S. Gregory, San Francisco, secretary of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, paid a business visit to Victoria yesterday and conferred with members of Gillespie, Hart & Company, representatives of the insurance company in Victoria. He registered at the Empress Hotel.

Arrange for Competition — To make arrangements for an indoor dancing and piping competition early in the New Year, members of the Vancouver Island Association of Pipers, Drummers and Dancers will hold a general meeting at the Bay Street Armories this evening at 8 o'clock. As it is hoped to make the competition an outstanding success, a full attendance of members and any others interested is requested by the officers.

House Robbery—Several hundred dollars in clothing, a quantity of jewelry, and $58 in cash and miscellaneous property were stolen from the home of J. W. Hudson, 352 Moss Street, on Saturday night, according to a police report yesterday. Entry was made with a house key which was hidden on the premises, and the house was ransacked by thieves, police said. As Mrs. Hudson is out of the city the total loss in jewelry is not yet known.

In Gaming House—Wong Quong and ten others were charged in the city police court yesterday with being found in a gaming house in Fan Tan Alley. Chong, one of those taken in the raid by the police, explained that he was on relief and pleaded not guilty to being there for any unlawful purpose. His case was remanded until this morning. Labh Singh, an East Indian, pleaded not guilty and was also remanded until today. The remaining nine pleaded guilty and were fined $8.00 each. Only $7.80 was found in the place.

Suspended Sentence — Walter Birss was granted suspended sentence in the city police court for having liquor in a restaurant under rather peculiar circumstances. Sergt. A. H. Bishop, of the city police, said that the accused was in a box in the Pekin Cafe with a carton of one dozen beer bottles. The carton had not been opened and when the accused was charged with the offence yesterday, he explained that he did not know his act was an unlawful one. He took the beer into the restaurant box with him to avoid danger of having it stolen if left in the car.

TACOMA TEAM TO PLAY HERE

Will Meet Wednesday League All-Stars in Christmas Day Fixture

Dr. L. S. Whetstone's Tacoma soccer eleven will make their first Victoria appearance Christmas Day, when they meet the Wednesday League All-Stars in an exhibition match at the Royal Athletic Park. The kick-off is set for 2:15 o'clock, with Dave McMillan tooting the whistle.

The American eleven is reported to be carrying a number of smart players, including fifteen-year-old Jimmy Martin, high-scoring centre forward and rated as one of the most promising young football players in the State of Washington.

Officials of the Wednesday Football League announced yesterday that 50 per cent of the net profits from the fixture will go to the Gyro Christmas Hamper Fund.

THE TEAM

At is meeting last night in The Colonist board room, the local association selected a strong squad to meet the visitors. The team follows: Goal, Norman Stewartson, Spencers; fullbacks, Tommy O'Connell, Hudson's Bay, and Lloyd Cann, Spencers; halfbacks, Les Kennedy, Hudson's Bay; Bruce Robinson, Navy, and Jim Oakman, Hudson's Bay; forwards, Malcolm McBride, Kresges; "Scotty" Robinson, Hudson's Bay; Tommy Belford, James Bay Wanderers; Art Chapman, Spencers, and Wally Stewart, Hudson's Bay. Reserves: Gordon Eastwood, James Bay Wanderers; Eric Moir, Saanich United, and "Barney" Barnswell, Hudson's Bay.

Charlie Lewis was named team manager.

The league accepted with regret the resignation of Teddy Hawkes' Saanich United eleven. Their position in the loop will be taken by the Provincial Recreational Centre (Victoria) team.

Shuttle Standings

Standings of the various clubs in the Lower Vancouver Island Badminton League, up to and including games of November 30, follow:

FIRST DIVISION

	W.	L.	D.	P.
Willows	2	0	1	5
Duncan	2	0	1	5
Brentwood	1	1	0	2
Victoria	0	2	0	0
Garrison	0	2	0	0

SECOND DIVISION

	W.	L.	D.	P.
Brentwood	3	0	0	6
Willows	2	1	0	4
Victoria	1	2	0	2
Duncan	1	2	0	2
Y.M.C.A.	0	2	0	0

THIRD DIVISION

	W.	L.	D.	P.
Victoria	3	0	0	6
Brentwood	2	1	1	5
Willows	1	1	1	3
Civil Service	1	2	0	2
Duncan	0	3	0	0

FOURTH DIVISION

	W.	L.	D.	P.
Y.M.C.A.	5	0	0	10
Victoria	3	1	0	6
Victoria College	3	1	0	6
Hillcrest	3	2	0	6
Brentwood	2	1	0	4
Civil Service (1)	1	4	0	2
Lake Hill	1	4	0	2
Deep Cove	1	3	0	2
Civil Service (2)	0	4	0	0

FIFTH DIVISION

	W.	L.	D.	P.
Saanichton	4	0	0	8
Brentwood	3	0	0	6
Y.M.C.A.	3	2	0	6
Victoria	3	1	0	6
Hilcrest	0	4	1	1
Work Point	0	2	1	1
Lake Hill	0	4	0	0

Christmas Parties Planned at Y.W.C.A.

The cheer of a large fireplace, the decorated and lighted tree and a group of congenial friends will make the dinner at the Y.W.C.A. a happy event on Christmas Day.

Any girl and woman in Victoria who are unable to reach home or distant friends will find a warm welcome in this group. Reservations will need to be made by Monday or Tuesday morning. Dinner will be served at 1 o'clock, at a very moderate charge.

For those who will not be free from work or business on Wednesday, and for those who are not yet employed, there will be a second Christmas dinner party on Thursday at 6 o'clock. The same hospitality and cheer will be extended, with something of an evening programme of music, stories and games. Names of guests should be left at the Y.W.C.A. office by Tuesday, December 24.

"Annie Mae," said the mistress of the house, finally giving way to curiosity, "I notice you have been taking our empty grapefruit hulls home with you. What do you do with them?"

The negro maid looked up at her mistress with a sheepish grin. "Yes'um," she admitted, "I'se been carrying 'em home. I'se think they make my garbage look so stylish."

"A child should be stopped on the spot if it does anything wrong," says Dr. Emmanuel Miller, the famous expert on child psychology.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

St. Michael's Closing Held

St. Michael's School celebrated the end of the term with another of its annual concerts on Friday in the gaily-decorated gymnasium, before a large crowd of parents, friends and old boys. The new stage with its curtains of blue and black, the school colors, and the beautiful back-drop, painted by Stewart Clark, greatly added to the success of the evening.

Outstanding items on the programme were as follows: Tableau by Form II, "The Landing of Cartier"; "Major Bowes' Amateurs' Quarter-of-an-Hour"; "The Cliche Expert," by Old Boys of the school now at Brentwood College; "A Country Dance," by three pairs in costume, taught by Miss Ruth Adams; a play by the Wolf Cubs, "The House Orderly"; Tableau by the Scouts, "Going Up," Investiture and Camp-fire.

The regular senior and junior reading competition results were announced, Mr. Ellis, of Brentwood College, being the judge and awarding the prizes, which were donated by Mrs. R. O. Fleming, to R. Carter, as winner, and "Pat" Izard, as runner-up, in the senior division, while Mr. Bassett's prize for the juniors was won by L. Hughes, with Ian Mackenzie as runner-up. K. W. Symons sang "Down the Vale."

P.-T.A. Activities

MOUNT VIEW

The monthly meeting of the Mount View High School P.-T.A. will be held in the High School next Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Any person wishing to make a contribution of canned goods to the school hamper fund may bring the same on Thursday or send it direct to the school.

JAMES BAY

The James Bay Association will hold a turkey drive in South Park School this evening at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

Four Celebrated Hollywood Headliners

So many stories are heard about the Hollywood temperament among stars that it is rather unusual to see a picture of four of the greatest headliners in Hollywood posed together in friendly conversation. The quartette above, Miriam Hopkins, Merle Oberon, Norma Shearer and Dolores Del Rio, represents almost a million dollars worth of stars.

Pupils Enjoy Annual Party

The dancing pupils of Miss Dorothy Cox spent a very jolly afternoon on Saturday, when they were entertained at their annual Christmas party. The studio, 1160 Burdett Avenue, was gaily festooned with greenery and streamers, a large illuminated tree completing the decorations.

During the afternoon Father Christmas arrived, which caused great excitement, and distributed candies to the young guests, also entering into the games.

A short programme was given, as follows:

Recitation, Joy Groves; "China Figures," duet by Mary Patterson and Joan Morgan; "Joey the Clown," recitation and dance, by Betty Cutt; Pas des deux, an attractive toe dance by Ann Crowther and Joy Groves.

The last number was a fantastic play by the junior pupils entitled "The Dolls' Frolic," which portrayed how, at midnight, the fairies had power to bring the dolls to life, and the dolls' fun during the hour after midnight. Janet Hall and "Bunty" Wright, dressed in mauve and silver, were the fairies. The dolls were: Jerry Miles, Joan Morgan, Peggy Lou Parker and Mary Patterson.

Father Christmas, during the playing of the grand march, led the children to the artistically decorated supper table.

Women's Institutes

VICTORIA

The Victoria Women's Institute will hold a social gathering in the institute rooms, 635 Fort Street, on Friday afternoon, and all members and their friends are invited.

COLWOOD

The annual meeting of the Colwood Women's Institute was held recently. A donation of $10 was voted to the Gyro hamper fund and $5 to the Salvation Army Christmas cheer fund. An invitation was received from the Solarium to attend the annual Christmas tree on Friday, December 20, at 2:30 p.m. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Miss Kelly (for the tenth term); vice-president, Mrs. H. Parker; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. M. A. Hughes; directors, Mrs. S. Goodall and Mrs. E. Shields. The annual report showed that good work had been done during the year, the membership being twenty-five. Donations during the year included twenty-six woolen vests and twenty-six pairs of woolen stockings to the Solarium; cash donations to the Gyro hamper fund, Salvation Army, Solarium X-ray fund, institute peace garden, per capita to S.I.D. Board and Provincial Board and community betterment—a total of $228.84.

LANGFORD

A successful card party was held under the auspices of the Langford Institute for the purpose of raising funds to donate to the Gyro hamper fund. Five tables of contract bridge, six of auction and one of "500" were in play during the evening. Contract winners were: First, Mrs. H. A. Hincks and Mr. W. Savory; consolation, Mrs. C. Matheson and Mr. A. M. Acheson-Lyle. Auction—First, Mrs. F. Reed and Mr. Edwards; consolation, Mrs. Baxter and Mr. J. E. MacDonald. "500"—Mr. W. Moore. Winners of the hidden numbers were Mr. A. F. Bayles and Mrs. Mugford. All prizes were given by members and friends. A box of home-made candy, donated by Mrs. A. A. Calland, was won by Mrs. E. H. Brock. The hall was attractively decorated with holly, evergreens and red streamers by Miss Savory, Molly Smith, Mrs. E. Le Quesne, Mrs. Ritchie, Mrs. Hincks, Mrs. Brock, Messrs. W. Savory and L. Smith. Refreshments were served by the members.

LUXTON AND HAPPY VALLEY

The monthly meeting of Mount and Happy Valley Institute was held at Luxton Hall, with the president, Mrs. Ramsfield, in the chair. A report of the year's work was read by the secretary, and the financial statement showed a successful year, with a small balance in the bank. Donations have been given to the Children's Aid Fund, Island District Board, local Playground Fund and the institute also worked in co-operation with Parent-Teacher Association to raise the necessary funds to secure the nursing service for the school and district. A vote of thanks was extended to the retiring president and directors and to the auditors. Mrs. R. Brown took the chair during election of officers. The following were appointed for the coming year: Mrs. H. A. Baxter, Mrs. J. Trace, Mrs. A. Ramsfield, Mrs D. Welch, Mrs. R. Brown; secretary, Mrs. B. Hutchison; child welfare conveners, Mrs. M. A. Morrow and Miss B. Hall; sewing convener, Mrs. D. Welch, assistants, Mrs. Baxter and Miss Hall. An invitation was extended by Mrs. Hankin to hold the January 2 meeting at her home, when the usual annual social meeting will be held.

LANGFORD

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute will be held this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Election of officers will take place. The monthly card party sponsored by the institute will be held on Thursday, at 8 p.m. Contract and auction bridge will be played.

LIBERAL CLUB DANCE

A successful dance was held recently by the Twentieth Century Liberal Club of South Saanich at the Marigold Hall. A contest was won by Mrs. Tharratt and the statue dance by Miss D. Warnock and Mr. J. Jones. The next meeting of the club will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at 3529 Douglas Street.

Clubs and Societies

Fairfield W.M.S.

The Fairfield W.M.S. held its Christmas meeting in the church schoolroom yesterday afternoon, the president, Mrs. G. G. Green, being in the chair for the devotional and business sessions of the meeting. The latter was condensed in order that the junior societies, under the direction of Mrs. Alfred Dowell, might give their programme. Mrs. Dowell held the attention of the children and adults in an interesting story, "If I Had Not Come," illustrating some of the advantages which have come to the world through the advent of Christ. The Mission Band conducted a "Missionary Alphabet," illustrating the different parts of the mission field, eight children giving recitations, followed by the singing of "God's Children Live in Many Lands." The Baby Band promotion exercises followed, Miss P. Moore, Presbyterial Mission and Baby Band secretary, presenting the certificates to the children who had reached the age for promotion to the Mission Band. The Christmas hymn, "Away in a Manger" was sung and the C.G.I.T. group sang the Christmas carol "The First Noel." Mrs. R. Bamford and Mrs. J. Cameron acted as accompanists. At the close of the meeting, tea was served, the tables prettily decorated with holly. Members of the C.G.I.T. gave valuable assistance in the serving of tea. Before the Doxology was sung, the president announced that the Women's Missionary Society had exceeded its allocation and she hoped that before the year was over the 10 per cent increase asked for by the Dominion Board would be covered.

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Queen of Island Lodge

Under the auspices of Queen of Island L.O.B.A. Lodge a sale of work was recently held. Mrs. W. Ashworth acted as convener. Mrs. Brinkman had charge of afternoon tea; Mrs. C. Laing, housie-housie; Mrs. E. Carlow, home cooking, and Mrs. W. Ashworth, sewing stall. A short meeting was held in the evening, with Worshipful Mistress Mrs. H. E. Baker in the chair, followed by court whist with the following winners: First, Mrs. E. Baron and Mrs. J. W. Berry; second, Mrs. C. Laing and Mrs. E. W. Barnes; consolation, Mrs. B. Ripley and Mrs. A. Gornall. The cushion was won by Mrs. A. Martin, and the chicken dinner by Mr. F. Greensides. Refreshments were served by the committee. The next meeting has been changed from December 25 to Monday, December 30.

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Garden City W.M.S.

The annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Garden City United Church was held at the home of Mrs. T. Raynor, Carey Road, with a good attendance of members present. Mrs. Perry presided and the devotional period was conducted by Mrs. A. R. Scott. Mrs. A. Reid gave a short talk on "Christian Stewardship," and the guest speaker was Rev. William Allan, who also presided during the election of officers for the coming year. The following were elected for the offices: President, Mrs. Perry; vice-president, Mrs. W. P. Brown; recording secretary, Mrs. A. Reid; supply secretary and treasurer, Mrs. T. Raynor; missionary monthly secretary, Mrs. Brown; temperance secretary, Mrs. Reid; associate helpers' secretary, Mrs. A. R. Scott.

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Junior Catholic League

The December meeting of the Junior Catholic Women's League was held recently at the home of Miss Agnes Grant, Blanshard Street. Nineteen members were present. Rev. Father Albury was the presiding chaplain. A vote of thanks was extended to all who had helped to make the novelty stall at the cathedral bazaar so successful. Articles of interest on current Catholic topics were read by the chaplain. Discussion of these subjects followed, after which refreshments were served by the hostess. Miss Nora O'Connell kindly offered the use of her home, 627 Manchester Road, for the next meeting, on January 14. The Study Club will not meet until January 7.

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Nurses' Entertainment

The annual Christmas entertainment given by the nurses of St. Joseph's Hospital Training School will be held tonight and Thursday evening, in the auditorium of St. Ann's Academy, at 8 o'clock. In addition to a picturesque nativity play, beautifully staged, there will be choral singing by the nurses, and solo and instrumental numbers. A charming addition to the programme will be the singing of some of the oldest and best known of the Yuletide carols by a band of waits in costume, who, under the direction of Sister Mary Noreen, have prepared this valuable contribution. The girls are some of the resident pupils of the convent.

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Knox Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid of Knox Church met at the home of Mrs. Fraser, 2314 Shakespeare Street. The meeting was opened by the honorary president, Mrs. J. S. Patterson, with Scripture reading and prayer, followed by the reading of the minutes of the last meeting by Miss McPhail. Plans were also discussed for the Scotch concert to be held in January. The officers for the coming year will be Mrs. D. Foubister, president, and Miss McPhail, secretary. A social hour then followed, tea being served by Mrs. and Miss Fraser. Next month's meeting will be held at the home of Miss McPhail, 2643 Forbes Street.

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Baptist Union

The Women's Union of the First Baptist Church held its monthly meeting in the church parlor yesterday afternoon, when a Christmas programme was arranged. Christmas hymns were sung and Mrs. Allan Slater gave the Christmas message. Mrs. Bancroft gave an address on the origin of Christmas trees and decorations, and also on Christmas in India. A resolution from the Local Council of Women on state health insurance was read. Mrs. J. Gough gave pianoforte solos, and Mrs. R. McIntosh, vocal solos.

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Esquimalt League

The annual turkey drive under the auspices of the Esquimalt Subdivision Catholic Women's League, will be held in the Church Hall tomorrow at 8:15 o'clock, the proceeds in aid of the needy. Five hundred will be played and refreshments served. During the evening, the eiderdown will be awarded the winner. Those having books of tickets are asked to return them to Mrs. P. Harris or Mrs. M. Gillespy by 8 o'clock tomorrow.

P.-T.A. Meeting Is Held at Langford

LANGFORD, Dec. 16. — The monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association was held in the schoolhouse on Wednesday evening. D. B. F. Bullen presided. The secretary, Mrs. A. F. Bayles, read the minutes and gave the financial report. Members agreed to have the school sign painted.

Miss L. Peacey, Miss H. Guy and Miss L. M. A. Savory were elected a committee to take nominations for office bearers for the ensuing year. The elections will take place at the annual meeting next month.

Miss Peacey announced the school Christmas concert would be held on Friday, December 20. The social conveners, Mrs. A. A. Forbes-Calland and Mrs. E. F. Le Quesne, will have charge of the refreshments for that evening.

The president introduced Miss Edna Jaques, Canadian poetess, who was the speaker for the evening. She gave a delightful talk on "My Own Country," and recited several pieces of poetry, which were very much enjoyed by those present.

There is one thing to be said for the Italo-Abyssinian war. Neither side claims that it is to make the world safe for democracy.

Wife Preservers

If you are using cocoa in your cake, either sift it with dry ingredients or mix with just enough milk or water to make a paste, and add directly after eggs or egg yolks.

He was a stout man, with large, broad feet, and, although several pairs of boots were shown to him, he refused them.

"I must have square toes," he explained to the assistant.

The young man sighed. "But square toes are not stocked now, sir," he insisted. Pointed toes are fashionable this season."

The stout man gave an angry stare. "That may be," he retorted; "but I happen to be wearing last season's feet."

The time is short and the need is great—help the Salvation Army Christmas Fund now.

Little Stories for Bedtime

An Enemy Proves to Be a Friend

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

The things we do and things we say,
(Tis true though hard to believe it so)
Affect the lives of other folk
More often than we ever know.

So it is that friends often hurt each other and in the same way enemies help each other without the least idea of so doing. It is a funny world. You think only of yourself and straightway do the greatest possible kindness or an equally great harm to someone of whom you are not thinking at all, and never know anything about it.

Just take the case of Mrs. Hooty and Danny Meadow Mouse. Danny always thought of Mrs. Hooty as he did of Hooty, as one of the enemies he must always be on the watch for after dark, and Mrs. Hooty always thought of Danny Meadow Mouse simply as a good dinner if only she could catch him. The idea of doing Danny a good turn never in all her life had entered her head. Nor had the idea that she could do such a thing ever entered Danny's funny little head. Yet Mrs. Hooty did do Danny a good turn. In fact, all unknowingly she proved to be a friend.

You remember that Billy Mink had trapped Danny in a hollow log in the Greet Forest. Billy couldn't get into that hollow log because the doorway was too small. So he promptly told Danny that he would keep watch until Danny starved to death or came out to be caught. Then Hooty the Owl and Mrs. Hooty arrived in a tree close by and Danny overheard Mrs. Hooty tell Hooty that she had seen and heard someone moving down below and that she intended to stay right there until she found out who it was.

Danny Overheard Mrs. Hooty Tell Hooty That She Had Seen and Heard Someone Moving Down Below

Danny at once thought that she was watching for him. But when he had had time to think a little he remembered that he hadn't so much as poked his nose outside that hollow log since the coming of Mrs. Hooty, so of course she couldn't have seen him. Could it have been Billy Mink she had seen? Danny at once became very much interested and crept a little nearer the doorway. He wanted very much to see what was going on outside.

For some time nothing happened. Then he heard Hooty's voice way off in the distance. He crept just a wee bit closer to the doorway and peeped up in the top of the tree where he had heard Mr. and Mrs. Hooty talking. He was just in time to see a great dark shadow sweep silently down. He heard a spiteful snarl and knew then that Mrs. Hooty had tried to catch Billy Mink and had missed him. And he knew, too, that having escaped, Billy would waste no time hanging about there; but would seek a safer place.

Danny let a little sigh of relief escape. Mrs. Hooty had frightened Billy Mink away and did not herself know that Danny was there. He was no longer trapped. She who would gladly have eaten him had proved a friend by setting him free. Didn't I say that this is a funny world?

Next story: Nanny Meadow Mouse is worried

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Premier Represents Liberal Ideal Says Local Party Leader

Major H. M. McGiverin Reviews Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King's Career in Address to Forum —Occasion Honors Premier's Birthday

REPRESENTED as "the ideal in Liberalism," Premier Mackenzie King was the subject of an eloquent tribute from Major H. M. McGiverin, president of the Victoria Liberal Association, in connection with the tea held by the Liberal Women's Forum yesterday in honor of the new Prime Minister's birthday.

"The Liberal steam-roller is again on the road, after five years at the side, and is slowly but surely smoothing out the way to Canada's progress," declared the speaker at one point in his summary of the new Federal leader's career.

Major McGiverin commenced his recital with brief reference to Mr. Mackenzie King's antecedents. Born in Berlin (now known as Kitchener), Ontario, he was the son of a distinguished father, John King, K.C., and Isabel Grace, daughter of William Lyon Mackenzie, M.P., who had been called the first of the Liberals in Canada. As an undergraduate Mr. Mackenzie King had specialized in social questions, a study in which he gained practical experience later at Hull House, Chicago, and at the Passmore Edwards Settlement in London, England. He also traveled in Europe for some time before in 1900 accepting the office of deputy minister of labor. This office he held for egiht years, but resigned it in 1908 to enter the House of Commons.

RECIPROCITY

In 1911, when the Liberals suffered defeat over the reciprocity issue, he went down with his party. In the three succeeding years he was president of the Ontario Reform Association, and also editor of the Liberal monthly. During the war he was on the executive of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, and did magnificent work as mediator between capital and labor in several important war industries in the United States, Major McGiverin asserted.

Reviewing what the Mackenzie King Government accomplished during its regime from 1921 to 1930, Major McGiverin stated that they had reduced the public debt by $273,000,000, together with reduction of sale tax from 6 to 1 per cent; the penny post restored 1929; $116,000,000 in taxation remitted in 1930; co-ordinated Intercolonial, Canadian Northern, and Grand Trunk Railways, and made into Canadian National; reduction in tariffs; improved conditions for farmer by improving wheat marketing control and reduction of duties on implements of production; and social legislation introduced included old-age pensions, fair wage and eight-hour day.

"The Conservatives between 1930 and 1935 never implemented a single thing in respect of unemployment relief. Had they done so and also instituted health insurance, these things would be a fact today instead of merely subject of discussion," said the speaker at this point.

BRITISH CONNECTION

The Liberal party, it was maintained, had always stood for the British connection, and had been prepared to do something to maintain the connection, as shown by the fact of their having increased the British preference and negotiating treaties within the Empire. It was under a Liberal Government also that Canada had sent troops to South Africa; and a Liberal Government, it was stated, had started the Canadian Navy.

Again at the wheel, Premier Mackenzie King had already negotiated almost the same treaty with the United States as had lost the Liberals the election of 1911. Reference was made also to the conference with Provincial Premiers just concluded, "ironing out the difficulties of finance and unemployment." The Conservatives, it was claimed, had done nothing along this line during their recent five years in office.

A SCHOLAR

Premier Mackenzie King's place as as a scholar and man of letters who had written several books was also mentioned before the final summary of a man "possessing a vigilant eye to see that our constitution is not impaired; with a healthy respect for the laws and institutions under which we live, together with a readiness to amend those laws whenever or wherever they work a hardship on a majority of our people."

Mrs. J. S. Akins, who presided, thanked Major McGiverin, whose talk was received with much applause. The remainder of the afternoon was occupied with the regular routine business, including the endorsing of the Local Council of Women resolution favoring the Health Insurance Bill, and discussion of a suggestion for the formation of three Forum study groups; and with a programme and afternoon tea.

The rooms were specially decorated with evergreens, holly, Christmas wreaths, and flowers, and on the attractively-arranged buffet from which refreshments were served, a beautifully-iced birthday cake, complimentary to Premier Mackenzie King, occupied a conspicious place, flanked by red candles set in sconces in the form of red roses.

Those taking part in the delightful programme were: "Bunny" Applegate, a gifted young coloratura, who, accompanied by Mrs. M. Atkinson, sang "Villanelle" (dell'Acqua) and "Thoughts Have Wings" (Liza Lehmann); Mrs. W. A. Laming, with Mrs. Chapman at the piano, who sang Christmas hymns and carols as solos, and was then joined in duet by her son, Master James Laming, in "Holy Night"; and Miss Cecily Gooey, who gave two recitations, "Bess, the Landlord's Daughter" and Pauline Johnson's "Pilot of the Plains."

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Lewis Alexander will represent the Y.M.C.A. Members of the Parliament will hold their deliberations in the Legislative Buildings here from December 27 to 31.

We imagine the smallest volume in the world is "Who's Who in Italy."

Witty Kitty

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl chum says that, if she built a glass house, it would be just her luck to have somebody discover a stone quarry within throwing distance.

Social and Personal Notes

Miscellaneous Shower

At the residence of Capt. and Mrs. F. J. Warren, Speed Avenue, a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Deana Cotsford, who is to be married shortly, took place on Saturday evening. The reception rooms were gay with Yuletide decorations, in which red roses, Oregon grape and ferns predominated. The gifts were presented to the guest of honor by Miss Yvonne Warren and Miss R. Coles, who detached them from a Christmas tree. The remainder of the evening was pleasantly engaged with music, dancing and other pastimes, Miss Coles' tap dance, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Symes, being particularly enjoyed. The music for the social dancing was provided by three of the guests, Messrs. H. Veach, E. Veach and P. Hunt. Other guests were as follows: Capt. and Mrs. W. Cotsford, Mr. and Mrs. W. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. P. Pengelly, Mr. and Mrs. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. G. Veach, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jack, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hunt, Mrs. M. Haines, Mrs. Symes, Mrs. Jury, Mrs. B. Butler, Mrs. Coles, Misses B. Force, P. Waters, D. Davis, E. Davis, E. Obee, Green, G. Boulton, Vickers, S. Albany, R. Coles, J. Coles, Yvonne Warren, Capt. W. Warren, Messrs. C. Brown, C. Cotsford, W. Haines, A. Haines, B. Anderson, H. Smith, E. Veach, E. Jury, J. Rhodes, W., J. and K. Warren.

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Engagement Announced

The engagement is announced in London of Rev. John Ecclestone, M.A., priest-in-charge of St. Mary's Church, Bourdon Street, London, W-1, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ecclestone, of Goldthorn Hill, Wolverhampton, and Muriel, only daughter of the late Mr. Charles Bishop, of Victoria, B.C., and of Mrs. Bishop, 7 Little Grosvenor Street, Berkeley Square, London, W-1. The wedding will take place on January 14, 1936, at All Saint's Church, Leamington Spa, and the bride and groom will reside temporarily at 16 Little Grosvenor Street, Berkeley Square, London.

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Surprise Party

A surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. C. Martin, Cornwall Street, on Saturday evening, in honor of Mrs. Martin's birthday. The evening was spent in singing and dancing, after which supper was served. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Dawes, Mr. and Mrs. Oldnall, Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Misses Elsie Martin, B. Oldnall, Doris and Phyllis Martin, Messrs. Aubrey Karriganis, Ivan Gillins and Edward Barton.

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Surprise Party

A delightful surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee, 2194 Central Avenue, on Saturday evening, the occasion being Mrs. Lee's birthday. Games and music were enjoyed and supper was served after midnight. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. Alexander, Mrs. A. Davey, Miss J. Alexander, Misses B. Raymond, E. Bridges, K. Ellett, L. Lee, D. Lee, Messrs. Ellett, J. Alexander, V. Pollard, H. Tomlinson and C. Lee.

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Pupils' Tea Party

Miss Gwendoline Harper entertained a few of her pupils at the tea hour on Saturday afternoon, at her studio, 1093 Foul Bay Road. Those who provided the programme of pianoforte music during the afternoon were Doreen Phethean, Francine Simister, Gwendolyn Gibbs, Irene Carter, Jean Pratt, Margaret Greenway and Patricia Daw.

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Leave for South

Mrs. Fred Yahnke, of Ebeneber, Sask.; Mrs. Reimer, of Winnipeg, and Mrs. P. O'Brien, of Bredenbury, Sask., who spent a few days in Victoria as guests of Miss Pauline Yahnke, Fort Street, and also visited in Duncan, left yesterday for the Mainland en route to Oakland, California, and were accompanied by Miss Yahnke.

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Return to Seattle

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neviti Howard, of Seattle, who spent the week-end in Victoria, returned home on Sunday afternoon. While here, Mrs. Howard was the guest of the Misses Florence and Elizabeth Ruggles, of Uplands, and Mr. Howard was the guest of Mr. Ronald Wattie, St. Charles Street.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. C. Cottell was a recent bridge hostess at her home on Ellice Street, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Richmond. The prize winners were Mrs. F. Briers, Mrs. F. McLaren, Mr. Harker and Capt. L. Evans. During supper, the hostesses were assisted by Mrs. J. Dinsley and Mrs. H. Barber.

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Entertain at Tea

Mrs. A. A. Meharey entertained at tea on Sunday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Markham, who recently arrived here from the Mainland to make their home. Since their arrival they have been staying at the Glenshiel Hotel and will move today to Oliver Street, Oak Bay.

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Visitors Greeted

Mr. and Mrs. A. Telfer Pemberton were visitors early on Sunday morning aboard the Ss. President Jefferson to see Senator and Mrs. Ashurst, of Arizona, who were members of Vice-President Garner's party. Mrs. Pemberton presented Mrs. Ashurst with a corsage bouquet of roses.

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Return to Chemainus

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Clark and their small daughter, Beverley, who have been visiting Mrs. Clark's mother, Mrs. Edward Gillam, Raynor Avenue, during the week-end, have returned to their home in Chemainus, accompanied by Miss H. Gillam.

Holiday in City

Miss Gladwyn Beasley, who is attending the Sacred Heart Convent at Point Grey in Vancouver, will return to the city shortly to spend the holiday season here with her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Beasley, St. Charles Street.

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Returning This Week

Miss Elaine Adam, who is attending the University of British Columbia, will arrive in Victoria this week to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Adam, of Richardson Street.

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Back From England

After spending the past eight years in England, Mrs. Church has returned to Victoria and is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. V. Church, Douglas Street.

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At the Angela

The following are staying at the Angela: Mrs. H. B. Little and Col. and Mrs. G. R. Young, of Port Angeles; and Major and Mrs. R. G. Murray, of Victoria.

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Bremerton Visitors

Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. H. E. Overesch and their daughter, Emily, spent the week-end at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel, and have returned to their home in Bremerton, Wash.

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Victoria Lodge

Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge No. 83, will hold their meeting in the S.O.E. Hall, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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Week-End in City

Mrs. A. B. Little, of Port Angeles, who spent the week-end in the city at The Angela, has returned home.

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Seattle Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Sloan, of Seattle, are spending a few days at the Empress Hotel.

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At Windermere Hotel

Mrs. Gladys Letroy, Vancouver, is registered at the Windermere Hotel.

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Here From Vancouver

Mr. T. W. Broadhead, Vancouver, is staying at the Windermere Hotel.

Y.P.S. News

EMMANUEL

One of the most inspiring and enjoyable gatherings of the year was the weekly meeting of the Emmanuel B.Y.P.U., held in the church Percy Wills, missionary of the Shantyman's Christian Association, was the guest speaker, taking as his subject, "Back of Beyond." Mr. Wills' unquenchable spirit of optimism, coupled with the unwavering faith in the Creator, shone forth as he related some of his personal experiences in the backwoods of the province. Unwilling to take the credit for his own deeds, nevertheless people some faint glimpse of the work which is so little made known. Mrs. G. Erickson, contralto, was the soloist.

Weddings

ELLIS—CHAMBERLIN

On Saturday, December 14, at the residence of Rev. A. deB. Owen, a quiet marriage ceremony was solemnized between Frances Elaine, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Chamberlin, 407 Wilson Street, and Mr. Olie Ellis, eldest son of Mrs. Ellis, Quebec Street, with the immediate relatives of both parties attending. The bride looked lovely in a gown of Marina blue crepe, with high neckline and full sleeves trimmed with silver sequins. Her turban was of blue silk net, wreathed with flat silver roses, terminating with a blue net rose veil and shoes also matching. Ophelia roses composed her corsage bouquet. Miss Melba Mills and Mr. Jack Crosson supported the bride and groom. A small reception was held afterwards at the home of the bride's parents for the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends, after which the happy couple left for Seattle and other Sound cities to spend their honeymoon. Among the many lovely gifts received were a handsome complete dinner service from the groom's fellow employees on the survey boat Stewart, and a reversible blanket and linen from the fellow employees of the bride in the Hudson's Bay Company.

Christmas Dinner Enjoyed by Club

The Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club held its annual Christmas dinner meeting last evening at the Y.W.C.A., the president, Mrs. Hall, in the chair. A number of visitors were welcomed, including Mrs. Hope, president of the Nanaimo Business and Professional Women's Club, and three other members from that organization.

The tables looked very festive with their miniature Christmas trees, candles and greenery and a special Christmas dinner was served. Carols were sung, and the members and their friends enjoyed songs by Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Johns, who were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. C. C. Warn.

At the conclusion of dinner, the guests adjourned to the drawing-room, where Rev. W. J. Sipprell, D.D., gave a most interesting talk on "Palestine," which was much enjoyed. Dr. Sipprell was accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

Following the address, an executive meeting was held, when it was decided to co-operate with the other organizations in Victoria in sending a donation to the Peace and Disarmament Committee at Geneva. The sum of $5 was voted for this purpose. The next meeting will be held on January 14 and the annual meeting will take place on January 28.

Help yourself to real Christmas happiness by giving a merry Christmas to others less fortunate — through the Salvation Army Christmas Fund.

Jubilee Alumnae Prizes Given at Social Evening

At the social meeting of the Jubilee Hospital Nurses' Alumnae last evening at the Nurses' Home, Dr. E. W. Boak presented the prizes, which were won as follows:

I. Nuttall, Vancouver Island Coach Lines, $5 scrip from Diggon's; E. Churchill, 906 St. Charles Street, $5 scrip from David Spencer, Ltd.; S. Fairhurst, 2080 Chaucer Street, $5 scrip from Hudson's Bay Company; F. Hall, 560 Paradise Street, Esquimalt, $5 scrip from Little & Taylor; T. Byatt, Work Point Barracks, one year's subscription to the Marionette Library; Mrs. A. Fraser, 2314 Shakespeare Street, half a ton of coal from Kingham-Gillespie; Mrs. O. J. Williams, 1635 Begbie Street, $5 scrip from D'Allaird's; E. Andrews, 1734 Albert Avenue, $5 scrip from F. S. Martin's.

A social, with bridge as entertainment, brought the evening to a close.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Navy League Chapter

Final arrangements for the twentieth annual children's ball to be held at the Empress Hotel on December 27 were made at the meeting of the Navy League Chapter last night. Tickets may be obtained at the Owl Drug Store, Diggons, Ltd., and the Empress Hotel, and are rapidly being sold. A donation has been made to the Gyro Radio Hamper Fund, it was reported. Eighty-seven calendars have been disposed of by the chapter, including thirty-seven to the British Columbia Coast lighthouses and ten to the Boys' Central School. A letter of appreciation and thanks was read from Mr. Norman Forbes, principal of the Boys' Central School, for the donation the chapter made of the Junior Encyclopaedia Britannica to the Reference Library at the school. Mrs. T. A. Johnston, the regent, presided during the business.

Gonzales Chapter

Sir Charles Delme-Radcliffe gave an interesting talk before the Empire Study group of Gongales Chapter recently at the home of the regent, taking as his subject the history of Ethiopia, together with a general description of northeast Africa. Sir Charles was warmly thanked for his talk, and the evening closed with the serving of refreshments by the hostess.

The other day a lady employed a man to make an inventory of her furniture. He was so long about it in the drawing-room that her suspicions were aroused, and she went in to see what he was doing. On the floor lay an empty bottle. On the sofa lay the man, sleeping sweetly like a tired child. But the inventory had not been wholly forgotten. At the top of the page stood a solitary eloquent entry—"One revolving carpet."

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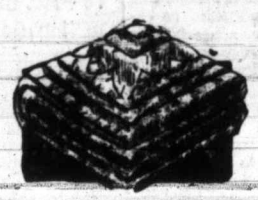

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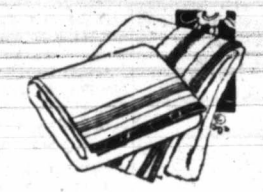

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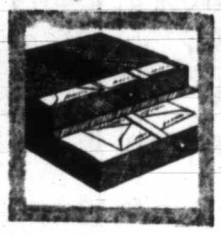

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SPANISH TABLE RAISINS, 4-crown, pkt., 35¢; 6-crown, pkt.....45¢

MALKIN'S DATE STAMPED COFFEE, 1-lb. bag.....37¢

FRASER VALLEY BUTTER, 1-lb. prints, 32¢; 3 lbs. for.....93¢
LARD, finest quality, per lb., 16¢
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HAND-ROLLED CHOCOLATES, per lb. .....25¢
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SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MIXTURE, per lb. .....25¢

AUSTRALIAN RECLEANED CURRANTS, 2 lbs. .....25¢
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JAP ORANGES, sweet and juicy, per box .....75¢
No. 1 MIXED NUTS, lb....23¢
2 lbs. for 45¢

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(Limit, 3 tins)
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3 lbs. for $1.50

FRESH PRESERVED GINGER, large jar, 38¢; medium jar.....19¢

PICNIC SHOULDERS, Sweet Pickled, per lb.....13¢

PEANUT BUTTER, Squirrel Brand, No. 4 tin.....45¢

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Fresh Filleted Whiting, 2 lbs.	25¢	Fresh White Spring Salmon, lb.	22¢

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SPECIAL VALUES IN FRESH-QUALITY FOOD SUPPLIES

★ SIDE BACON, Our Special Sliced, per lb.....24¢

CHEESE, Canadian Mild, lb....17¢
CRESCENT SHORTENING, 1's, per packet .....14¢
PEANUT BUTTER, 1's, tin.....13¢

★ PRIDE OF ONTARIO HONEY, 2½-lb. tin. Extra Special .....25¢

H.P. SAUCE, small size, bottle, 9¢
AYLMER TOMATO CATSUP, 12-oz. bottle .....14¢
CAMPBELL'S PORK AND BEANS, big family size tin.....12¢
GLACIER SARDINES, 2 tins, 15¢
CRAX BUTTER COOKIES, per packet .....15¢

TEA, H B C Special Economy Blend. An outstanding value. You'll find it most satisfactory. Special, per lb. .....35¢
COFFEE, H B C Bulk. Freshly ground. Try this coffee once, you'll be back for more. Special, per lb. .....19¢

SMYRNA LAYER FIGS, pkt. 10¢
ROYAL CITY PEARS, 18-oz. tins, 18¢; 2 tins for.....35¢
B. & P. FLAVORED CORNSTARCH, per packet .....15¢
FRY'S PURE BREAKFAST COCOA, ½'s, per tin.....21¢

FAMILY CIRCLE SWEET MUSTARD PICKLES, 27-oz. bottle for .....25¢

PARD DOG FOOD, 1's, tin....10¢
HEINZ SOUPS, assorted, medium tins .....13¢
CLARK'S TOMATO JUICE, 1's, per tin .....5¢
H B C BAKING POWDER, 12-oz. tin .....14¢

★ ROSEDALE ASPARAGUS CUTTINGS, 2's, per tin....18¢
2 tins for 35¢
Limited Quantity

QUICK QUAKER OATS, large packet with Cup and Saucer.....25¢
SHREDDED WHEAT, large pkt. 10¢
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 3 tins for .....27¢

What Today Means

"SAGITTARIUS"

If December 17 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:15 to 10:15 a.m., from 2:15 to 4:15 p.m. and from 7:15 to 9:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 6:15 to 8:15 a.m., from 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m.

The plain truth may startle and puzzle you this day. It may pay to hold steadfastly to the thought that "There is nothing so powerful as truth—and often nothing so strange." Your vision as to the right line of action to pursue regarding some social or business activity, should be very clear, so do not disregard it. Regarding financial matters, you probably will find this a very promising day. Through someone's lack of judgment you may become very irritable. It will be wise, however, not to show it, for you are likely to get very little sympathy if you do. Onlookers seem generally to enjoy the plight of others, as long as they are not involved. Be careful your excuse for breaking an engagement is a valid one, or you may find yourself confronted with an embarrassing situation. Married and engaged couples, and those satisfied that they have found the right companion, must be careful that flippancy does not cause inharmony.

If a woman and December 17 is your birthday, one of the worst habits you can form is to be in a hurry all the time. Guard against this, for it will not only weary you, but the patience of your friends as well. You are naturally of an orderly disposition, and this virtue will prove a great asset. You ought to have a charming personality. This will help you tremendously either socially or commercially, providing you do not let it make you conceited. Seek love rather than money, to have a successful matrimonial career. Love will prove to be your coronerstone, and you devotion ought to be well rewarded. Interior decorating, painting, teaching, music, acting or writing may be the channel through which fame will come to you.

The child born on December 17 may be inclined to want its own way during adolescence. Its parents must not try compromising methods if they wish an unspoiled youngster.

If a man and December 17 is your natal day, the quicker you learn there is no such thing as "easy money," the better off you will be. You will only score a big success through diligence and perseverance. As a mechanic, engineer, architect, author or salesman you are liable to do exceedingly well.

A certain luminary of the bench was a most painstaking judge in all his cases, and in important ones it was his custom to defer summing up until the next sitting of the court. On one occasion he gave an exhaustive decision on a case, after which counsel for the plaintiff rose and questioned it.

"Pardon me," said His Lordship. "I cannot allow you to reopen this case after I have given my final decision. I may be wrong, but that is my opinion."

Counsel quickly replied:

"Then, m'lud, I know it is no use knocking my head against a brick wall. I suppose I must sit down."

The magistrate adjusted his eyeglasses, and, looking sarcastically at the lawyer, said:

"Sir, I know it is no use your knocking your head against a brick wall; but I may add that I know of no one who could perform such an operation with less injury to himself than you."

The Wife—Do you like my new dress, dear?

The Husband—Well, I think it might have covered you a bit better if you'd left the price tag on it.

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Day after day, month after month, year after year, the smoothly-writing Waterman's is a constant reminder of the thoughtfulness that prompted your gift.

All Waterman's dealers have the 7-Point Selection Test Tray and will exchange the point of the pen you give for one that *exactly* suits the recipient's style of writing.

No. 94—An exceptional value in a medium priced pen for men and boys—Gray with chromium mountings, also Moss Agate, Brown, Jet.

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At the Theatres

ROMANTIC FILM IS AT DOMINION

"Peter Ibbetson," With Gary Cooper and Ann Harding, Appearing At Theatre

One of the most beautiful estates in Southern California, Busch's Gardens, was used by Paramount in its production of the Gary Cooper-Ann Harding starring vehicle, "Peter Ibbetson," which is now at the Dominion Theatre, the screen version of Du Maurier's well-known novel.

Overnight a beautiful French chateau was reared on the grounds. A high wrought-iron fence was placed around part of the park grounds to represent the grounds of this 1820 estate. A gardener's house was put up. Flower beds were installed. The scene was transformed from one typically Californian to that of last century's France.

"Peter Ibbetson" traces the dramatic events in the lives of a man and woman who, having been childhood sweethearts, meet face to face in later years to find their love as strong as when they were youngsters. A series of tragic happenings keeps the two apart, and even threatens their love, but their romance flowers and blooms in a dream fantasy of their own creation. Though prison walls are the barriers which separate them, the mighty force of their love sustains them as they share affection, companionship and understanding through their lives in their dream world.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Capitol—"Transatlantic Tunnel," starring Richard Dix.

Columbia — May Robson in "Grand Old Girl."

Dominion—"Peter Ibbetson," starring Gary Cooper.

Playhouse—Jean Harlow in "Reckless."

CAPITOL THEATRE Can you imagine a volcanic eruption suddenly flaming into fury above the ocean waves? In "Trans-Atlantic Tunnel," the G.B. eight-star special starring Richard Dix and Leslie Banks, with Helen Vinson, Madge Evans, C. Aubrey Smith and Basil Sydney, and with special portraits by George Arliss and Walter Huston, now showing at the Capitol Theatre, one of the most exciting situations occurs when that very catastrophe takes places.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Jean Harlow and William Powell, that grand team of entertainers, are now appearing on the screen of the Playhouse Theatre in "Reckless," the musical treat of 1936. The platinum star is seen in the role Mona Leslie, a dazzling Broadway dancer.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Caveman tactics brings results for Fred MacMurray in subduing Mary Carlisle in RKO-Radio Pictures' new May Robson starring feature, "Grand Old Girl," now at the Columbia Theatre. Miss Carlisle plays a pampered high school beauty; and MacMurray is seen as a spirited young truck driver. Miss Robson portrays the elderly principal of a small-town high school.

New Policy for Little Orpheum

The management of the Little Orpheum Theatre has adopted a new policy, commencing this week. The theatre will remain closed Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week, opening on Thursday with a double feature programme. On Thursday next, the management will show Richard Dix in "Stingaree," a dramatic production with Irene Dunn in the supporting role. Also on the same bill are Anna Sten and Fredric March in "We Live Again."

NO MINISTERS LEFT IN CITY

Appointment of Successor To P. Z. Caverhill Receiving Consideration

As a provincial capital, Victoria remained in a state of suspended animation yesterday. Premier Pattullo and four ministers, who accompanied him on the British Columbia delegation to Ottawa, were believed on the way home by indirect routes. Meanwhile, three members of the Government forming the little Cabinet here were out of town.

Acting-Premier Gray, Hon. P. M. MacPherson and Hon. K. C. MacDonald were reported on the Mainland during the day.

POSITION VACANT

Eleven departments of the Government, with their several branches, continued with the preparation of estimates for 1936-37.

Appointment of a successor to the position of chief forester, left vacant through the death of P. Z. Caverhill, is believed under consideration. Promotion from within the service is anticipated.

"How did you get on with Hard-nut?" asked the head of the firm of the traveler.

"Oh, so, so," replied the latter. "I only got a couple of orders out of him."

The boss beamed. "You did!" he exclaimed. "That's more than any of our men ever did before. What were they?"

"Well," said the traveler, sadly, "One was to get out and the other was to stay out."

Annual Poultry Show Will Open Here Tomorrow

The annual poultry show of the Victoria Poultry Association will open tomorrow at 831 Yates Street, it was announced yesterday by H. S. Robinson, secretary. The show will continue until Saturday.

The interest in this year's show has not been equaled in years, it was said, with between three and four hundred birds entered. Some twenty-one breeds will be exhibited, including some very rare types.

William Walker, of New Westminster, will be judge. William Pye will serve as show superintendent.

Birds for display must be in the building by 9 o'clock tonight, as judging will take place tomorrow. The show will be open to the public daily from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. A demonstration of chicken plucking by a new method will be a feature of the show.

Visitor—How far is it to Washington?

Native—Wa-al, I don't rightly know, but I'll call Eph. Eph'll know. He's traveled all over. He's got shoes.

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The Most Beautiful Romance In All Modern Literature

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A Golden Symphony of Thrilling Song!

Hear the Glorious Voice of a Grand New Star—George Houston Singing the "Toreador" Song From "Carmen"

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With JOSEPHINE HUTCHINSON, GEORGE HOUSTON

A Moving Story of Sacrifice and Love That Will Never Die!

ENDS TODAY: RICHARD DIX, MADGE EVANS, LESLIE BANKS in "TRANS-ATLANTIC TUNNEL" Also: SILLY SYMPHONY and "OUR GANG"

ALSO . . . . . DAILY AT 1:54, 5:07, 8:10

A Picture of a Thousand Surprises With a Million Dollar Cast of Stars . . .

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"REMEMBER LAST NIGHT"

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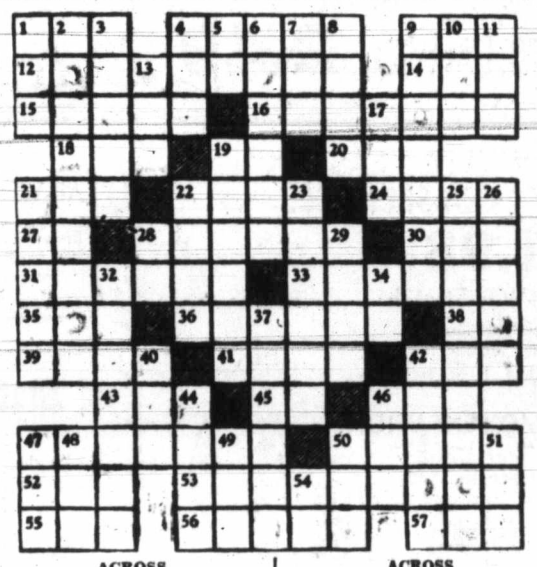

ACROSS

1. By way of.
4. Portends.
9. To examine stealthily.
12. Voice modulation (var.).
14. To regret.
15. Jumped from fright.
16. Parts of sundials.
18. Man's name.
19. To exist.
21. Man's nickname.
22. Rapid.
24. Remainder.
27. Note of scale.
28. Adhesive.
30. Watering-place.
31. Issues.
33. Robber.
35. Ocean.
36. Shooting stars.
38. Symbol for cerium.
39. To revise.
41. Kind.
42. Encore.
43. Prevarication.
45. Pronoun.
46. Constellation.
47. Group of five.
50. Odor.
52. Sea eagle.
53. Crackling.
55. To excavate.
56. Underworld.
57. To color.

DOWN

1. Peer's title (abbr.).
2. Restrained.
3. Blazing.
4. Couch.
5. Bovine animal.
6. Summary.
7. Vast age.
8. One affecting superiority.
9. Objection.
10. Small creek.
11. Affirmative.
13. Grassy plain.
17. To deface.
19. Male voices.
21. To entertain.
22. Country-place.
23. Lodge door-keepers.
25. A distinctive quality.
26. Biblical weeds.
28. Pronoun.
29. Waterfowl.
32. Inner end of projecting brick.
34. Conjunction.
37. Urged for bet.
40. Metal.
42. Staff of life.
44. To engrave.
46. Amount (abbr.).
47. Mathematical abbreviation.
48 Swiss canton.
49. Epoch.
50 Short for sister.
51 Confederate general.
54 Hebrew letter.

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Don't take your grouch out on the Children—or thrash the dog—or sell your Business—

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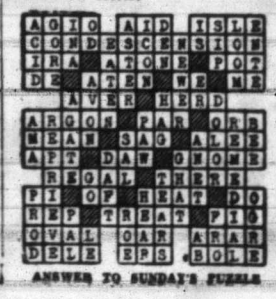

ANSWER TO SUNDAY'S PUZZLE

ORPHEUM

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IRENE DUNNE · RICHARD DIX in "STINGAREE"

ALSO ANNA STEN · FREDRIC MARCH We Live Again

2—FASCINATING PICTURES—2

PUBLIC NOTICE!

To improve the heating and ventilation with general alterations for the comfort of our patrons, our theatre WILL NOT EXHIBIT TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, December 17 and 18.—Management.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18, AT 8 P.M.

HANDEL'S ORATORIO

"MESSIAH"

By Victoria Choral Union and Orchestra

DOROTHY PARSONS - - Soprano · GLADYS LETROY - - - Contralto
LLEWELYN JONES - - - Tenor · GIDEON HICKS - - - - - Bass
STANLEY BULLEY, A.R.C.O., L.R.A.M. - - - Conductor

ADMISSION WILL BE BY PROGRAMME ONLY, FROM 7:15 to 7:45 P.M.

Some seats will be available for those not holding programmes after 7:45 P.M.

Programmes will not be sold at the Cathedral, but can be obtained at Fletcher Bros., Price 50c

DANCE

MACAULAY POINT GOLF CLUB

For Members and Their Friends

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18

At the Clubhouse.

Phone G 1514

CANADIAN DOLLAR AND POUND RATES

MONTREAL, Dec. 16 (?).—Leading currencies moved sharply forward on Montreal foreign exchanges today. Pound sterling advanced 1 13-32 of a cent to 4.98 1-8 while the United States dollar gained 9-32 of 1 per cent to 1.01 1-16. The French franc at 6.68 was .01 of a cent higher.

Nuwedd, a newcomer to the suburb, looked dazed and weary. His neighbor inquired the reason.

"My wife," said Nuwedd hoarsely, "told me to take our old tomcat out and lose it. So I put the animal in a basket and tramped into the country for about six miles."

He paused for breath.

"Well," put in the neighbor, "did you lose it?"

"Lose it!" gasped Nuwedd. "If I hadn't followed it I'd never have found my way home again!"

The New Playhouse

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ADDED "GENTLEMEN ARE BORN"

With ANN DVORAK · ROSS ALEXANDER · FRANCHOT TONE · JEAN MUIR · MARGARET LINDSAY

ALL CASES TO BE REVIEWED

Gyros to Investigate All Names Submitted for Hampers

A thorough investigation into the cases of all the families whose names have been submitted to the Gyro Club Christmas Hamper Fund registration office as needing assistance this Christmas will be conducted in the next few days, it was announced yesterday by directors of the club.

Rumors that certain persons who did not require help had submitted their names grew so insistent that members of the club decided an investigation was necessary. This will insure the fact that all those who receive a hamper will be deserving cases, the directors said.

More than 1,400 registrations have been received to date, Harold L. Butteris, secretary-manager of the drive, declared last night. This is nearly 200 more than received for the same period in 1934.

TO CLOSE REGISTRATIONS

It was further emphasized yesterday that registrations for delivery of hampers next Sunday must be in the Gyro campaign headquarters, 615 Yates Street, by Friday at noon. However, those who do not register before that time will receive their hampers on Monday, Tuesday or early Christmas Day of next week, it was stated.

The appeal on Sunday for swampers to assist the club in the gigantic task of delivery met with instantaneous success, officials stated. No more men are required, the request for twenty-five husky men being more than filled by Victoria men.

PACKING HAMPERS

Starting last night and continuing from now until Christmas, working parties will be at work at the Gyro headquarters. Packing, under the ingenious system devised by Louis Glazan, superintendent of working parties, and Edward M. Whyte, officer commanding the packing room, will start on Thursday night.

Any persons desirous of watching the intricate job of packing the hampers are welcome to visit the headquarters and see the Gyros at work.

Members of the Gyro Club are giving their entire time and effort in this attempt to bring Yuletide happiness to families for whom Christmas means nothing but misery and gloom. The club appeals to every citizen of Victoria to aid in some material way, either by donations of cash or kind in this worthwhile cause.

The telephone numbers at the headquarters are Empire 1127, 1128 and 1129.

The slogan behind the drive is "Help Fill the Gyro Hampers."

Festival Audit Passed at Duncan

DUNCAN, Dec. 16. — Duncan's Sweet Pea Festival committee for 1935 held its final meeting at the week-end, for the purpose of passing the audited accounts. S. R. Kirkham presided. The accounts audited by K. F. Duncan and W. E. Christmas showed a small balance in hand after all accounts were paid. The auditors' report was adopted.

The committee then passed a resolution to ask the mayor to call a public meeting early in February to decide on festival plans for 1936.

On his return from his first dancing lesson, Bobby was asked how he liked it.

He replied: "Aw, it's easy. All you have to do is turn around and keep wiping your feet."

QUESTION OF PREFERENCES

British Shipping Interests in Pacific Will Be Discussed Next Year

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Dec. 16 (). —Prime Minister Michael J. Savage today discussed with members of his Government the forthcoming abandonment of the British Steamship Service now connecting New Zealand with the United States and Australia.

Following conferences with representatives of shipping companies here, the Prime Minister said the Government would take up early in the New Year the question of preferences for British lines.

Hon. Alexander Shaw, chairman of the Peninsular and Oriental Steamship Navigation Company, told a shareholders' meeting recently that British services in the Pacific cannot be continued in competition with foreign services receiving government subsidies.

The Majura, 8,075 tons, and the Maunganui, 7,527 tons, are expected to be laid up shortly. The crews numbering 350 men will be thrown out of employment. Withdrawal of these vessels means the end of fifty years' pioneering by the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand.

The Canadian-Australasian Line at present operates a steamship service between Vancouver and Australia and New Zealand.

REPORTS VERY SATISFACTORY

Canadian Merchant Service Guild Has Meeting—Victorian Vice-President

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (). — An improved financial condition and satisfactory relations with all major companies were reported at the annual meeting of the Canadian Merchant Service Guild, official organization of masters and deck officers of British Columbia, Yukon, Northwest Territories and the inland rivers and lakes of the province.

Financial affairs showed a 40 per cent increase in reserve over the previous year. The organization negotiated satisfactory agreements with all major companies. During the year, 127 members were restored to good standing and nineteen new members and three applications received.

Captain Arthur Slater was re-elected president for his fifth consecutive term, while Captain Allan Davies, of Victoria, was elected one of the vice-presidents.

As a man thinks, so he is, therefore some people never are.

SAYS BUILDERS ARE HOPING TO BENEFIT BY HOUSING SCHEME

As yet the Dominion Housing Act is not in operation in Brantford, Ont., but builders and companies manufacturing building supplies there are hopeful that the scheme may soon be workable in that city, according to H. H. Ross, an executive of the Brantford Roofing Company, Limited, who is registered at the Empress Hotel, with Mrs. Ross. The visitors are on their way to California for an extended holiday.

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, Dec. 16 (). —Cattle market active; good butcher steers 4.25-5.00; good heifers 3.00-3.50; good to choice veal calves 3.50-4.50.

No hogs sold to noon; selects quoted 7.50; bacons 7.00; butchers 6.50, off trucks.

Westinghouse Dual-Automatic the LIFETIME REFRIGERATOR

a wonderful Christmas surprise for the family, and an investment that will pay for itself in but a few years!

Boy! . . . wouldn't a beautiful gleaming white Westinghouse Refrigerator hog the spotlight on Christmas morning! B.C. Electric stores feature a complete line of Westinghouse Refrigerators from the Lift Top at $134, right up to the large family sizes.

If yours is an average family, the model you need is the smartly styled, roomy Westinghouse at the left. It provides countless ice cubes . . . features the "Stor-Dor," hermetically sealed unit, fast freezing shelf, high-speed froster, interior lighting, flexible ice-cube trays, rolling shelves, vegetable crisper, automatic defrosting and countless other features. It's good for a lifetime of service!

» $5 down
$5 a month

Average Family Size, Cash $195

Electrical GIFTS ALWAYS RAISE A CHEER!

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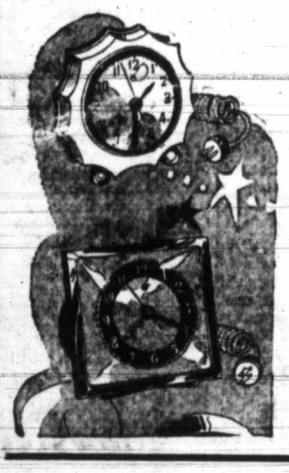
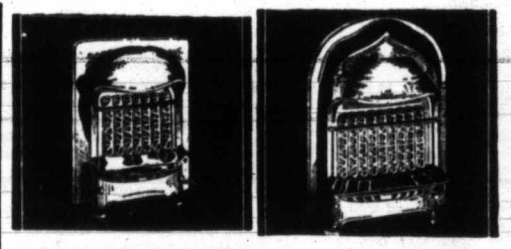


Telechron Clocks

Smart modern gifts that are wonderful to get, and last for years and years. They tell the RIGHT time ALL the time, never need winding, and never, it seems, break down. This Christmas we are featuring GIFTS that appeal to young and old . . . priced from $7.95 for a solid little alarm, to $13.95 for a beautiful Walnut Mantel Clock. All on easy terms.

Telechron "LITTLE HOSTESS" (top left)
Smartly styled and finished in green or black or chrome. Ivory with gold; 3½-inch dial.
Cash Price **$7.95**

Telechron "DEB-ALARM" (left)
Finished in smart gold or chrome, with polished numeral hand to match. A particularly attractive Clock . . . and one that will make a great hit with any woman or girl. Cash..... **$11.00**

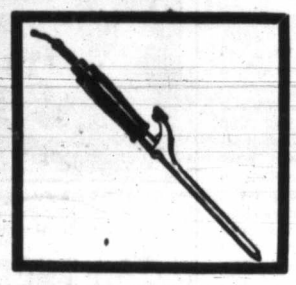


Gas Fires from $14.50

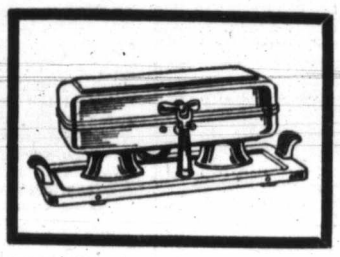
A GAS Fire hardly comes under the "Electrical" heading, but it's certainly a very friendly and practical gift . . . particularly welcome at this time of the year. Information as to installation arrangements may be obtained at either of our stores, or by phoning G 7121.

Hotpoint Gifts for the Future

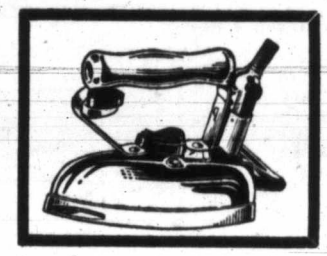
Three attractive and very practical electrical gifts that are always warmly welcomed. The name, HOTPOINT, is your assurance of years of trouble-free service. All on easy terms.



HOTPOINT CURLING IRONS
Maintain the correct temperature . . . will not scorch or burn the hair. Choice of five attractive colors. A safety rest comes with each one.
Cash Price **$1.40**



HOTPOINT SANDWICH TOASTER
It will toast crisp sandwiches, grill thick, juicy steaks and chops, fry ham and eggs, making piping hot pancakes. In a jiffy it can be converted into a highly efficient waffle iron.
Cash Price **$8.95**
Waffle Grids (extra) $3.95



FEATHER-WEIGHT IRON
Women everywhere praise its wonderful ease and speed. It weighs only 3 lbs., has a complete range of ironing temperatures, controlled by a finger-tip thermostat. Grooves for ironing around buttons! Every Hotpoint feature.
Cash **$8.75**

Other Hotpoint Irons at $3.50, $5.70 and $6.95

TRILITE "Torchiere" $17.45

TRILITE with shade $14.75

Famous Gurney Gas-Coal Range

cooks with the speed of Gas, heats the kitchen and provides hot water!

Its many features for convenience WITH ECONOMY have made this Range extremely popular in the comparatively short time it has been on the market. It has ONE oven, which is used for both gas and coal, separately, or, if desired, for both at the same time! It can be converted instantly into a gas oven and the coal fire left burning. Its very efficent waterfront, its solid good looks, and the fact that it provides heat for the kitchen, make it an outstanding buy. Surprise Ma and the family with a brand new Gurney Range at Christmas! Easy monthly terms. Cash price,

Easy TERMS

$119.75

Generous Trade-In Allowance for Your Old Cook Stove

B.C. *Electric*

★ *A small down payment is all that is needed to buy any B.C. Electric Gift. Balance on easy monthly terms, starting January 20, 1936!*

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What a treat for the family!

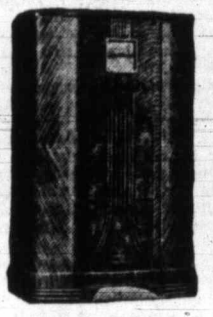
GENERAL ELECTRIC All-Wave Reception!

News and music from all over the world—grand opera from the world's centres . . . famous bands . . . symphonies . . . lectures and talks from world-famous figures—you hear them all, more vividly, clearly than ever before, with a 1936 General Electric All-Wave.

What happier idea for Christmas than a new G-E All-wave? If everyone in the house chips in a little, it's easy to buy one at B.C. Electric stores. It doesn't matter if you've already spent all your Christmas money—your old radio will take care of the down payment (we'll make you a very generous offer), and the balance can be paid in easy monthly installments . . . not starting till the 15th of January, 1936!

We cordially invite you to come into our Douglas Street store and hear these remarkable new radios—you will be thrilled with their simplicity of tuning and their new "Magic" tone—so natural and true to life.

REDUCED PRICES BROUGHT ABOUT BY CANADA-U.S. TREATY ARE NOW IN EFFECT AT B.C. ELECTRIC STORES.



G-E MODEL 87

Superb all-wave reception and distinctive cabinet beauty are combined in this new 8-tube console. Covers standard and foreign programmes, also police calls, amateur and aircraft calls. Airplane dial with colored "band indicator." Modern floor type cabinet. Chassis uses: New metal Radiotrons; 12-inch speaker; tone compensator; and anti-fade automatic volume control.

CASH PRICE **$141.00**

MODEL A-82, BELOW

Gives the most in "all-wave" performance at minimum cost. Its powerful 8-tube chassis tunes in all standard broadcasts, foreign and domestic short-wave programmes, police calls, amateur and aircraft calls. Colored "band indicator" in connection with the colored airplane dial simplifies tuning. Other features include: New G-E Metal Radiotrons; tone compensator; 8-inch speaker; anti-fade automatic volume control. Size—19 inches high, 16 inches wide, 11 inches deep.
Cash Price **$108.00**

MODEL A-58

One of the most popular General Electric consoles; 5 tubes. Tuning range, 540 to 1,720 kilocycles—standard broadcasts, police and aviation calls; 5,400 to 18,000 kilocycles—foreign short-wave broadcasts. Beautiful walnut cabinet. Features include: Airplane tuning dial, in colors; 12-inch dynamic loud speaker for rich tone; vernier tuning drive; tone control and anti-fade automatic volume control.
Cash Price **$89.50**

Good Used Cabinet Radios from $22.50

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DOUGLAS AT PANDORA FORT AT LANGLEY PHONE G7121

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DRAW OUT FOR THIRD ROUND OF ENGLISH CUP

Detroit Wings in Win Over Rangers To Take Top Place

Jack Adams' Pucksters Score Double Triumph Over Week-End to Take Over Leadership of American Division—Americans Blank Chicago Black Hawks by 3-0 Score

By A. E. FULFORD
Canadian Press Staff Writer.

Unless something is done about it Detroit Red Wings threaten to make a runaway race of the National Hockey League's American division. It seemed today the money big Jim Norris laid on the line in the hope the strengthened machine would bring Detroit the Stanley Cup may do just that.

LYNN PATRICK

Two 4-2 wins over Toronto Leafs and New York Rangers Saturday and Sunday shot the Wings into the section leadership, a pair of points ahead of Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks. The Detroiters looked so good in marking up both victories they are already being tagged as a sure thing for the play-offs.

It's up to Hawks, Rangers and Boston to catch the flying Detroiters but so far none of them has made much of a job of it. The best any of the trio has wrung from the Wings has been a tie. In a six-game rush since Montreal Maroons defeated them last month, the team Jack Adams manages has won five games and tied one. New York Americans are the only team besides Maroons who had defeated them this season.

Even the two week-end games were not enough for Wings to take over undisputed occupancy of first place but Americans kindly helped them along. They defeated Chicago, 3-0, at Madison Square Garden Sunday night to aid Wings and take second place in the Canadian division from Maroons. They are a point behind Toronto and one ahead of the Montrealers.

RANGERS BEATEN

Scoring eight goals in two games, Rangers did well over the week-end except when they are compared with Detroit. They crushed Maroons under a 6-2 count Saturday in Montreal and then went on to Detroit to lose, an even split that usually is the most anyone asks of a team on the suicide schedule.

Bill Cowley's goal with two minutes in the third period remaining gave Bruins a 2-1 win from Montreal Canadiens at Boston in he fifth game of the week-end. Dit Clapper's goal earned Bruins a first period lead in the listless contest and Armand Mondou tied it in the second.

Indicative of the rugged sort of hockey they are playing were Wing's three major penalties in their two games. Ebbie Goodfellow and Pete Kelly drew five-minute stays with the timer from a free-for-all fight in the third period at Toronto, and Hec Kilrea was handed a major for fighting with Murray Murdoch, of Rangers.

Two overtime goals gave Detroit its margin after Nick Metz sent the game into overtime with a backhand shot forty-seven seconds from the end of the third. It seemed safe for Wings when Larry Aurie broke a 1-1 tie early in that period. Joe Primeau put Leafs in the lead early in the game and Syd Howe tied it in the second.

Herb Lewis got the first overtime goal in a nice passing play with Marty Barry and Mut Bruneteau made it safe on Johnny Sorrell's passout.

Wings reversed their tactics at home and got two early goals through Kelly and Hec Kilrea, which Butch Keeling and Lynn Patrick evened up. Bunko McDonald gave Detroit the win with fifty-two seconds of the third remaining and Aurie made it safer still when he caught Rangers up the ice and scored in the third last second of the game.

Glen Brydson showed what new blood can do to an aging line when he joined Frank Boucher and Bun Cook in a scoring bee at Montreal against Maroons. The trio got nine scoring points to add to the eight they picked up against Americans Thursday.

KERR BRILLIANT

Boucher, Keeling, Bun Cook and Earl Seibert ran in Ranger goals in the first period of the thrilling game that saw Dave Kerr give a great exhibition as he stopped forty-nine shots at the Ranger net. Maroons cut the lead in half with second period goals by Bob Gracie and Gus Marker but Rangers came right back to score through Brydson and Cecil Dillon in the third.

Sweeney Schriner sent the Americans off to a good start against Chicago with a goal in the third minute and they were always in command after that. Joe Jerwa got another before the initial frame was through and old Harry Oliver combined with Nels Stewart for the third marker in the final frame.

College Netters Win League Game

Playing on their home courts, Civil Service (1) netters went down to a 5-11 defeat at the hands of the second-place Victoria College players, in a Fourth Division, Lower Vancouver Island Badminton League fixture.

Scores, with the home players first mentioned, follow:

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Misses Wheadon and Wilson lost to Misses Thwaites and Baillie, 15-3.

Miss MacDonald and Mrs. Hodgins won from Misses MacLaurin and Walker, 15-7.

Misses Wheadon and Wilson won from Misses MacLaurin and Walker, 15-6.

Miss MacDonald and Mrs. Hodgins lost to Misses Thwaites and Baillie, 7-15.

MEN'S DOUBLES

Pearson and Bacon lost to Waddell and Henderson, 6-15.

MacDougall and Hodgins won from Branson and Dunlop, 15-5.

Pearson and Bacon lost to Branson and Dunlop, 15-8.

MacDougall and Hodgins lost to Waddell and Henderson, 9-15.

MIXED DOUBLES

Miss Wheadon and Pearson lost to Miss Thwaites and Waddell, 15-9.

Miss Wilson and Bacon lost to Miss Baillie and Henderson, 15-5.

Miss Wheadon and Pearson lost to Miss Baillie and Henderson, 15-3.

Miss Wilson and Bacon lost to Miss Thwaites and Waddell, 15-3.

Mrs. Hodgins and Hodgins won from Miss MacLaurin and Branson, 15-11.

Miss MacDonald and MacDougall won from Miss Walker and Dunlop, 15-10.

Mrs. Hodgins and Hodgins lost to Miss Walker and Dunlop, 10-15.

Miss MacDonald and MacDougall lost to Miss MacLaurin and Branson, 5-15.

NEGRO BOXER OUTSTANDING 1935 ATHLETE

Joe Louis Tops Associated Press List—Lawson Little Second Again

By ALAN GOULD
Associated Press Sports Editor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 — By a margin of votes fully as convincing as any conquest he has achieved with his fists, Joe Louis stands acclaimed today by the United States sports experts as the outstanding athlete of 1935 in any sphere of competition, amateur or professional. The twenty-one-year-old negro heavyweight, who brought the million-dollar "gate" back to pugilism with his knockout punch after an interval of eight years, tops all the individual masculine performers in the fifth annual Associated Press poll.

Lawson Little

He is the first prize-fighter in the relatively brief history of the poll to take the main honors. Previous winners were Pepper Martin, Gene Sarazen, Carl Hubbel and Dizzy Dean.

Louis was voted a substantial margin of victory over his chief rival, William Lawson Little, Jr., twice king of the amateur golfers and runner-up in the poll for the second straight year.

Most sports editors and writers contributing their views to the poll emphasized their high rating of Louis was due to his tremendous influence upon boxing gate receipts, as well as upon his sensational knockout record.

Third place goes to another negro athletic sensation, Jesse Owens, of Ohio State, as a consequence of his unprecedented achievement in breaking three world records and equalling a fourth in one afternoon during the Big Ten track and field championships.

Jay Berwanger, Chicago's all-American halfback, finished fourth with 42 points, thereby confirming his rating as the year's outstanding United States college football player.

Baseball's individual stars, for the first time, failed to play a conspicuous part in the Associated Press poll. Manager Mickey Cochrane, of the World Champion Detroit Tigers, proved the most popular. He finished fifth.

Leaders in the poll on the year's outstanding performers in sports, showing total points (3 for first; 2 for second, and 1 for third) were:

1. Joe Louis, Detroit heavyweight boxer, 182.
2. W. W. Lawson Little, Jr., British and American amateur golf champion, 129.
3. Jesse Owens, Ohio State, track and field record holder, 61.
4. John Jacobs Berwanger, Chicago, all-American football halfback, 42.
5. Mickey Cochrane, manager of Detroit Tigers, world baseball champions, 19.
6. Sir Malcolm Campbell, England, holder of auto speed record, 13.
7. Andy Pilney, Notre Dame, football halfback, 11.
8. Eulace Peacock, Temple, National A.A.U. broad jump, 1.

Johnson and Shields Collide

"Cy" Wentworth, right, Montreal defenceman, scoops up the puck as Ching Johnson, of New York Rangers, and Allan Shields, Wentworth's partner, collide in a hectic moment of a Madison Square Garden game. Maroons and Rangers battled to a 3-3 tie in overtime. Johnson seems mighty anxious to get away from the crush as he ploughs into Shields.

Dr. Euwe Scores Over Dr. Alekhine

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 16 (AP).—Dr. Max Euwe, of Amsterdam, drew with Dr. Alexander Alekhine, of Paris, in the final match of their international chess championship match, thereby winning the world championship.

The score of the match after the concluding game was: Dr Euwe, nine; Dr. Alekhine, eight; drawn, thirteen. Dr. Euwe won with a half point advantage.

The score was one point for a win and a half point for a tie, with the first to total 15½ points the victor.

Dr. Alekhine, in a poor position, accepted the draw when offered by his rival after thirty-six moves and thereupon Dr. Euwe with a total of 15½ points to his credit, succeeded the Parisian as champion of the world.

St. Louis Cardinals May Lose Delancey

DANVILLE, Ill., Dec. 16 (AP).—Bill Delancey, St. Louis Cardinal catcher, who has been waging a fight against pneumonia for seven weeks, may not be able to play next season, his wife said today. Delancey suffered a relapse a few days ago.

If Delancey is unable to start, Ambrose Ogrodowski, star catcher brought up from the Columbus farm, undoubtedly will get the assignment for the Cardinals.

SMITH LEADS HOCKEY LOOP

Vancouver Forward Has Five-Point Margin Over Hextall—Gainor Third

CALGARY, Dec. 16 (CP). — The checkerboard system that Lester Patrick made famous in the National Hockey League has worked so well for the team his younger brother, Guy, manages in the Northwestern League that Clint Smith, centre of Vancouver Lions, tonight has a clear lead of five points over his nearest competitor in the individual point-scoring table.

Smith's total read six goals, twelve assists, for eighteen points. His big right-winger, Bryan Hextall, has 11-2—13 for second place, and a Vancouver second-stringer, Lude Palm, had 5-7—12 to be tied in third place with Dutch Gainor, of Calgary, who had 6-6—12.

Andy Aitkenhead held his spot as star goalkeeper in the league by his performances in a Portland uniform. So far this year the Buckaroos have not lost a game and in nine starts Aitkenhead has only been scored on sixteen times. Portland is the only undefeated team in the league.

TEAM STANDING

	W.	L.	D.	F	A.	P.
Vancouver	7	2	2	45	23	16
Portland	6	0	3	26	16	15
Calgary	5	6	2	33	41	12
Edmonton	2	8	3	26	37	7
Seattle	3	7	0	17	30	6

LEADING SCORERS

	G.	A.	P.	Pen.
Smith (Vcr.)	6	12	18	4
Hextall (Vcr.)	11	2	13	21
Gainor (Cal.)	6	6	12	4
Palm (Vcr.)	5	7	12	4
Savage (Cal.)	6	4	10	12
Carse (Edm.)	5	4	9	12
O'Neill (Vcr.)	7	1	8	0
McFarlane (Cal.)	6	2	8	34
Dyck (Vcr.)	5	3	8	2
Holmes (Edm.)	4	4	8	12
Sheppard (Vcr.)	3	5	8	24
Blyth (Port.)	3	5	8	4
Adams (Cal.)	6	1	7	14
Macartney (Port.)	5	2	7	2
Martin (Edm.)	3	4	7	4
C. Sorenson (Cal.)	1	6	7	8

FLORIDA RACING

TROPICAL PARK, Florida, Dec. 16.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Joan D. (I. Hanford) $6.80 $4.10 $2.70
Cicary (C. Hanford) 23.30 10.10
Keokee (Wright) 3.40
Time, 1:06 2-5. Also ran: Fanie, Sparkling Lady, Vitofol, Brother Newt, Pomona, Singed, Miss Philura, Go Now, Fractious.

Second Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Don Creole (Arcaro) $7.50 $3.10 $2.90
Glory Greenock (Litzenberger) 2.40 2.30
Muscle In (Maschek) 5.50
Time, 1:06 2-5. Also ran: Autowin, Polly Raigh, Bombastic.

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Prince Drake (Watson) ..$17.50 $7.50 $4.70
Bele Grier (Stafford) 4.90 3.50
Screen (Jackson) 6.50
Time, 1:12 1-5. Also ran: Dornock, Stricken, High Finance, Ira L., Starogan, Treasure City, Albuquerque, M. J. Brennan.

Fourth Race—One mile:
El Puma (Coule) $12.50 $5.00 $4.00
Drusus (Wright) 3.20 2.70
Payrack (Critchfield) 7.30
Time, 1:39 4-5. Also ran: Boocap, Dancing Cloud, Blondella, Haggerson, Slav.

Fifth Race—One mile:
Advising Anna (Pollard) ..$7.00 $4.80 $4.30
Chasar (J. King) 4.80 4.60
Dowdy Dell (Stout) 5.80
Time, 1:38 1-5. Also ran: Golden Rock II, Lynx Eye, Sunanair.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Brandon Prince (Watson) $21.50 $9.20 $4.40
Big Gawk (Stout) 4.20 3.60
Mountainy Man (M. Garner) 3.60
Time, 1:46 2-5. Also ran: Vote Boy, Saintlite, Fusco.

Seventh Race—One mile:
Our Admiral (Stout) $26.80 $10.90 $3.90
Tightwad (Wright) 4.20 3.10
Major General (Arcaro) 2.70
Time, 1:41. Also ran: Judge Judy, Happy Flag, Pun, Sweet Mollie, Salute d'Amour.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Creme de Menthe 115
Moll 109
Pretty Busy 115
Midnight Flyer 109
Col. Bixer 113
Be Quiet 109
Prince Danny 110
Lollies 115
Edri 110
Morlute 110
Brockton 114
Neds Affinity 109

Second Race—Six furlongs:
L. B. Wilson 112
Kings Pleasure 110
Grannys Trade 114
Idle Along 111
Grandpas Boy 112
Zevanaid 111
Minton 111

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Tarula Baddun 116
General A 115
Mixed Party 102
Stepbrother 110
Wise Revue 107
Gallic 110
Merovech 110
Creole Bird 102
Kawagoe 115
Appomattox 107
Fred Almy 115
Jezreel 107

Fourth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Sky o' Blue 107
Tramway 110
Cantakit 110
Johnny Tight 110
Somersault 109
Hiwell 105
Naughty 109
Sandy Boot 106
Byrdex 112
Dream Kiss 109

Fifth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Chance King 110
Thruster 105
Pharatime 112
Scotch Gold 106
Ashen 105
Polar Flight 105
Buzzin Around 105
Dancing Doll 114
Kievex 105
Quickly 107
Crowning Glory 105
Corinto 110

Sixth Race—Six furlongs:
Western Lad 115
Feudal Lord 117
Diverting 112
Bonanza 112
Ballos 117
Jake Blieden 104
Herowin 114

Seventh Race—One mile:
Attribute 114
Mathias 109
Mary Francine 111
Black Watch 114
Pass Shot 114
Chhumont 109
Belle Fille 111
Anapola 111
Dark Mission 114

McNamara Says He Is Through As Bike Rider

BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 16 (AP). —Reggie McNamara, the iron man of the bike riders, announced today, "I'm through—and I mean it."

The Iron Man is fifty-two and he has been pedalling in the six-day game for a generation, but this is not the first time he has announced he was through, and the six-day world was not sure whether to take him at his word.

McNamara was hurt in a spill during a jam last night and forced out of the race. His hurts are not serious, but he said today "the old zip isn't in the legs. The truth is I'm too old for the game.

HUDSON'S BAY WINS

Hudson's Bay, smart Wednesday Football League team, journeyed to Hampton Road Sunday afternoon and defeated Pitzer and Nex, undefeated first-half champions of the Saanich and District Football League, 6-3, in an exhibition match.

MAJOR ELEVENS TO OPEN COMPETITION EARLY NEXT MONTH

Games Well Split for Third Round on January 11 Cup Holders Have Easy Task — Sunderland Faces Port Vale—Twelve First Division Clubs Opposed—Margate Meets Blackpool

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP). — Major English League soccer clubs enter the competition for the historic English Cup on January 11, when the third round will be played. The earlier rounds have seen the elimination of a great number of Third Division and minor league clubs, twenty of these, including three exempted from play in the first two rounds, remaining to battle against high-class opponents.

The third round draw made today shows games well split up between the members of the various divisions. Twelve First Division teams are opposed, six play Second Division sides, while four should pass into the fourth round with comparative ease against Third Division or minor league representatives.

FACES PORT VALE

Sheffield Wednesday, holder of the cup, plays Crewe Alexandra, Northern Section, Third Division, team in the railway town and is expected to go into the fourth round. Sunderland, leader of the First Division, should encounter no difficulty against Port Vale at Roker Park, but Huddersfield Town will have a much different task against Aston Villa at Villa Park. Bracketed with Huddersfield in second place, Derby County should have a walk-over against plucky Dartford, of the Southern League.

Although drawn away from home, Arsenal may be expected to win by a good margin against Oldham Athletic or Bristol Rovers. The teams are both in the Third Division and drew their second-round match at Oldham, 1-1. The replay will be at Eastville this week.

Margate, Arsenal's nursery club, has attracted attention by good victories over Queen's Park Rangers and Crystal Palace, but the seasiders will have to play top-notch football against the strong Blackpool team. Workington, another minor leaguer, opposes Branford, and Southall, sole remaining amateur team in the competition, opposes the winner of the Rotherham United-Watford tussle.

The draw follows:

Manchester City vs. Portsmouth.
Everton vs. Preston North End.
Bradford City vs. Bournemouth.
Crewe Alexandra vs. Sheffield Wednesday.
Tottenham Hotspurs vs. Southend.
West Ham United vs. Luton Town.
Liverpool vs. Swansea Town.
Clapton Orient vs. Charlton Athletic.
Norwich City vs. Chelsea.
Derby County vs. Dartford.
Halifax or Hartlepools United vs. Grimsby Town.
Middlesbrough vs. Southampton.
Stockport County vs. Plymouth Argyle.
Wolverhampton Wanderers vs. Leeds United.
Leicester City vs. Brentford.
Chester or Reading vs. Manchester United.
Chesterfield or Walsall vs. Newcastle United.
Notts County vs. Tranmere Rovers.
Doncaster Rovers vs. Notts Forest.
Oldham Athletic or Bristol Rovers vs. Arsenal.
Aston Villa vs. Huddersfield Town.
Burnley vs. Sheffield United.
Sunderland vs. Port Vale.
Fulham vs. Scarborough or Brighton.
Millwall vs. Stoke.
Darlington vs. Bury.
West Bromwich vs. Hull City.
Southall vs. Rotherham United or Watford.
Bradford vs. Workington.
Barnsley vs. Birmingham.
Blackburn Rovers vs. Bolton Wanderers.
Blackpool vs. Margate.

Greenshirts To Battle City in Cup Semi-Final

WITH the winner advancing to the final against Esquimalt, Victoria West and Victoria City, First Division soccer elevens, will clash Saturday at the Royal Athletic Park in the Leeming Cup semi-final. The kick-off is set for 2:15 o'clock, with Dave Swan tooting the whistle. In case of a draw, overtime will be played. Two Second Division matches are carded, with Esquimalt playing the Saanich Thistles at Bullen Park, with T. M. Robb in charge, and Victoria City meeting Victoria West at Heywood Avenue, with Al McKinnon as referee. Both matches will start at 2:30 o'clock. Secretary J. R. Jones stated yesterday that in all probability the Vancouver Rangers will play Victoria United here on Boxing Day, December 26.

HOCKEY SIDELIGHTS

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By RAY COLLETT

In ten years of artistic puck-stopping in major league hockey, Roy Worters—"Shrimp" to the New York American headquarters crew—has learned a bit about the goaling game. He is rated about tops by many hockey experts who figure the 135-pound midget has just about earned that rating by his consistently good performance. Yet, when he is facing a forward who is steaming in on his goal, keyed up to blast the rubber into the twine, Worters doesn't watch the puck. He watches the forward's eyes. Likewise he tries to make the attacker shift first; then he knows where the danger spot is. A straight shot, ankle high and from fifteen feet out is the toughest drive to handle, says Roy, and it's a lot easier to block the high ones. Your arms can move mighty fast he points out, much faster than your feet, and your arm spread is considerably greater than the spread of the pads.

Over his small frame, Worters has more scars from hockey injuries spread, than any man in the league. Once he scored against himself and gave Les Canadiens a 2-1 win over the starry Amerks. The Shrimp stopped the puck, started to throw it clear, but lost his grip and the disc dropped into the net behind him. Another of the good turns he did for Canucks was pinchhitting for the ailing Hainsworth in a game against Toronto. It's the only time he appeared in Habitant colors. Though Americans haven't been in the N.H.L. playoffs lately, it isn't the goalie's fault and the Vezina Trophy came his way in 1931.

TODAY'S HOCKEY STICKLER

For what is Lola Couture of Canadiens most noted? Read next Hockey Sidelights for the data.

Vancouver "Rep" Squad for Match Here Is Selected

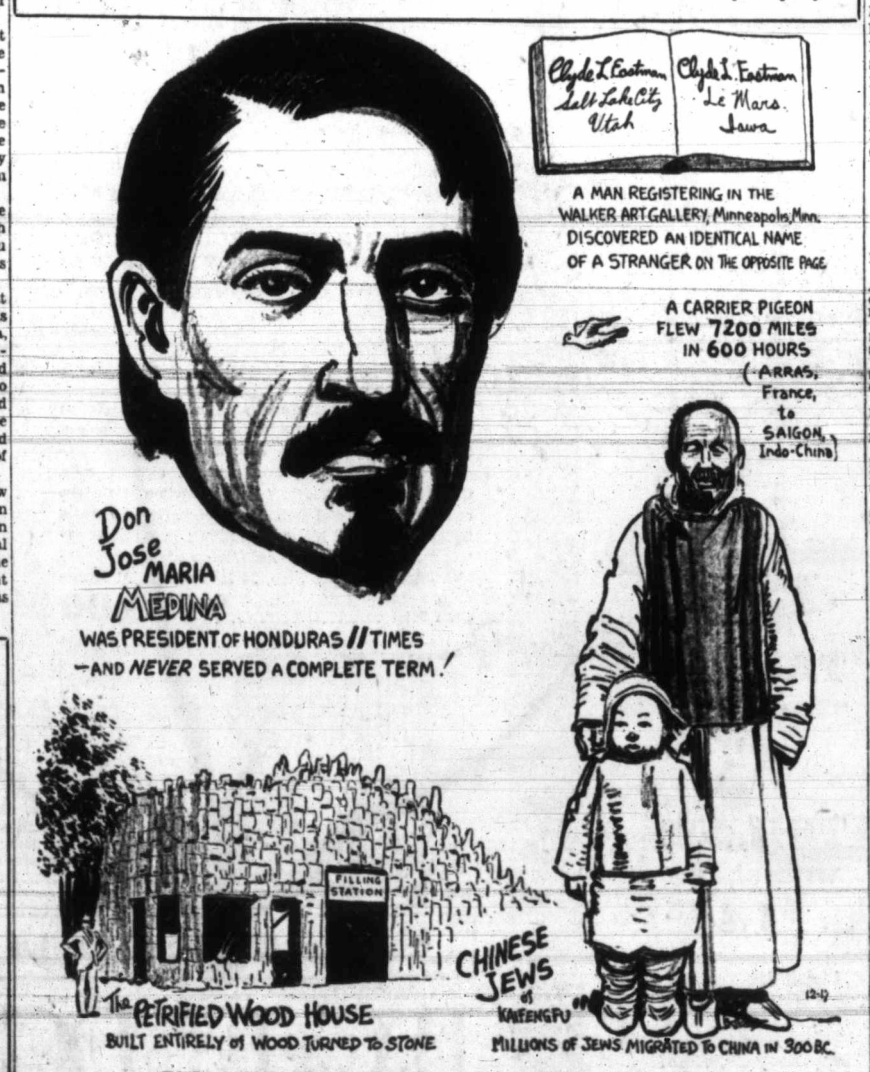
VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (CP).—The selection committee of the Vancouver Rugby Union today announced the Vancouver "rep" line-up which meets Victoria in the first 1935-36 inter-city McKechnie Cup game on December 26.

Occasionals and Rowing Club will supply six men each, with North Shore All-Blacks filling the remaining three positions.

The team:

Cleveland, fullback; Calland, Covernton, Ferris and Kinninmont, three-quarters; Roxburgh, five-eighths; Goepel, half; Normington, Murray, Moran, Maveety, Lungley, Shaw, Bain and Mackedie, forwards.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . *By Ripley*



EXPLANATION FOR SUNDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

The Sycamore of the Holy Family—The Tree under which the Holy Family rested during their flight to Egypt still stands in the village of Mataryeh, about six miles northeast from Cairo, Egypt. It is a very old sycamore, and nearby is the well which the child Jesus is said to have caused to spring forth from the stone.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Transforms Boston Arena

An amazing view of the Boston Gardens, which here resembles a huge outdoor sporting stadium where Winter athletic meets might be held. A steep and lightning-fast ski course has been constructed. There is a shiny skating rink and a dog sled track. Winter sports are being staged for the edification of Bostonians, and no expense has been spared to prepare the Boston Gardens for the events.

BRYDSON AND BOUCHER MAKE BIG GAINS IN RACE

New York Players Move Up Into Tie For Second Berth

Young and Veteran of Rangers Pick Up Seven and Six Points, Respectively, Over Week-End—Thompson and Conacher Still Leaders—Horner Tops Penalty Bench Group

MONTREAL, Dec. 16 (CP).—A younger player and a veteran of New York Rangers supplied the feature to the National Hockey League scoring during the past week as Rangers won two games and got into the thick of the fight for the United States sectional lead, two points behind Detroit Red Wings.

DAVE SCHRINER

Glen Brydson, filling in at right wing for Bill Cook, who is ill, scored seven points, four of them in one game against Montreal Maroons, for the best gain of any player of the week. Right at his heels was Frankie Boucher, playmaking centre, with six points.

Their spurt brought them close to the top which remained in sole possession of Paul Thompson, Chicago Black Hawk wingman, whose eight goals, six assists, fourteen points, were a single point better than his showing a week ago.

CONACHER SECOND

Second in the league and top of the Canadian division was big Charlie Conacher, of Toronto Maple Leafs, who did not score a point in Leafs two losing games of the week but his six goals, six assists, were one point better than the five players crowded into third place.

They were Doc Romnes, Chicago; Boucher and Brydson of the United States section, and Nick Metz and Harvey Jackson, of Toronto. Metz accumulated three points during the week.

New York Americans, who took second place in the Canadian division from Montreal Maroons, were paced during the week by the veteran Harry Oliver who got five scoring points in three games.

Young Metz still led the whole league in actual goals with nine, one more than Thompson.

Red Horner, of Toronto, had little competition for the "bad man" leadership. His fifty minutes in the penalty box was well ahead of the thirty-two for Allan Shields, of Montreal Maroons. Marty Burke, of Chicago, topped the United States section with twenty-seven minutes.

CANADIAN SECTION

	G.	A.	P.	Pen.
Conacher, Toronto	6	6	12	17
Metz, Toronto	9	2	11	4
H. Jackson, Toronto	6	5	11	8
Schriner, Americans	7	2	9	4
Thoms, Toronto	5	4	9	2
Oliver, Americans	4	5	9	8
Goldsworthy, Cdns.	5	3	8	4
McGill, Canadiens	5	3	8	6
Northcott, Montreal	4	4	8	14
Primeau, Toronto	3	5	8	4
Haynes, Canadiens	1	7	8	4
Kelly, Toronto	5	2	7	6
Cotton, Americans	4	3	7	19
Boll, Toronto	3	4	7	4
Ward, Montreal	3	4	7	11
Robinson, Montreal	4	2	6	6
Joliat, Canadiens	4	2	6	4
Mondou, Canadiens	4	2	6	8
Wiseman, Americans	3	3	6	7
Smith, Montreal	2	4	6	22
Stewart, Americans	1	5	6	6

UNITED STATES SECTION

Thompson, Chicago	8	6	14	9
Romnes, Chicago	4	7	11	0
Boucher, Rangers	4	7	11	0
Brydson, Rangers	4	7	11	0
Dillon, Rangers	6	4	10	2
McFadyen, Chicago	2	8	10	9
Lewis, Detroit	3	6	9	4
Aurie, Detroit	5	3	8	2
Howe, Detroit	4	3	7	8
Barry, Detroit	3	4	7	2
F. Cook, Rangers	2	5	7	8
Keeling, Rangers	5	1	6	10
Beattie, Boston	5	1	6	9
Patrick, Rangers	3	3	6	15
H. Kilrea, Detroit	2	4	6	15
Goodfellow, Detroit	2	3	5	17
Sorrell, Detroit	2	3	5	6
Weiland, Boston	1	4	5	9

The screen, it is often said, will be invaluable in teaching history. Two George Arliss stories may have some bearing on this point:

A Liverpool master asked, "What was the Duke of Wellington called before he was made a duke?" And a small boy promptly replied, "George Arliss, sir."

A little girl said that Disraeli was a great English statesman who went into the movies, and a New Zealand schoolboy, asked who purchased the Suez Canal shares for Britain, recalled a certain film and declared with perfect confidence, "Mr. Arliss."

TORCHY PEDEN STILL WELL UP

Victorian and Crossley Remain Two Laps Behind in Buffalo Bike Race

BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 16 (AP).—Team positions in the six-day bicycle race showed little change after the late sprints tonight. Charley Ritter and Bill Grimm, of New Jersey, were tied on mileage with Bob Echevaria and Mike Defillipo, but held first place by an edge of nineteen points. Midnight standing:

	Miles	Laps	Pts.
Ritter-Grimm	1,115	9	124
Echevaria-Defillipo	1,115	9	108
Debaets-Winter	1,115	8	220
Cohen-Lands	1,115	8	205
Peden-Crossley	1,115	7	322
Audy-Yates	1,115	7	196
Rodman-Thomas	1,115	7	129
Wissel-Schaller	1,115	6	152
Honeman-Walthour	1,115	3	210
Reboli-Lipsett	1,115	3	97

NEW ORLEANS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 16.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Thistle Dust (Jackson) $46.00 $22.80 $14.60
Cold South (Garrett) ... 8.00 7.00
Sweet Joe (Edwards) ... 7.00
Time, 1:07 4-5. Also ran: Sister Clare, French Maid, Monkey Shine, Spremart, Sir Hector, Magenta, Nanny D., Big Charley, Best Man.

Second Race—Six furlongs:
Guess (Mojena) $5.00 $3.00 $2.60
Gold Decision (Chojnacki) ... 4.40 3.00
Vitonina (Lang) ... 6.60
Time, 1:14 3-5. Also ran: Nameoki, Jilda C., Lame Duck, Silver Hackle, Dixie D., Honorary, Devilish Nick, Chi Chi, Koley Bey.

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Zipalong (Mojena) $10.80 $4.20 $3.80
Benefit (Manifold) ... 4.00 3.80
Chicasha (Donoho) ... 5.00
Time, 1:13 3-5. Also ran: Brother Ben, Benediction, Lovers Chat, Princeton, Prosecutor, Diehard, Roentgenologist, Modesto, Mack's Pal.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Bald Crest (Haber) $13.80 $7.40 $4.40
Pelawake (Mojena) ... 7.00 5.00
Count Rae (Pool) ... 3.60
Time, 1:13 2-5. Also ran: Bea H., Eddy Lee, Insomnia, Levasl, Bread King.

Fifth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Beginners Bait (Parke) ..$13.00 $4.80 $4.20
Exotude (Chojnacki) ... 4.60 3.40
Burning Up (Mojena) ... 2.60
Time, 1:47. Also ran: Hit and Run, Fogarty, Cabotin.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Thistle Jock (Chojnacki) .$9.40 $4.60 $3.00
Oldfield (O'Malley) ... 4.40 3.20
Pre War (Poole) ... 2.60
Time, 1:46 3-5. Also ran: Snobeedo, Redress.

Seventh Race—Mile and seventy yards:
Just Mrs. (Duncan) ...$61.60 $16.00 $14.40
Golden X (Tilden) ... 7.20 4.40
Urchin (Jackson) ... 6.00
Time, 1:45 4-5. Also ran: Muff, Judze Urban, Showman, Blue Foam, Stout Heart, Brown Polly, Aerial Trumpet, Sure Gamble, Errant Lady.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Mechanics Gold ... 105
All Upset ... 105
Prosecutor ... 101
Whizz James ... 115
Flagbearer ... 117
Jay D. ... 93
Service Man ... 110
Trevert ... 102
Turf Beauty ... 109
Dorothy Alice ... 109

Second Race—One mile:
Twinkling Eye ... 104
Alpenstock ... 104
Chana ... 101
Viper ... [illegible]
Little Ina ... 101
Oddesa May ... [illegible]
Civil ... 113
Senoj ... [illegible]
Juror ... 109
Then Some ... 109
Thunder Lass ... 106
Camay Wind ... 113
Big Torch ... [illegible]
Bunny C. ... 105
Airdale ... [illegible]

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Bright Knot ... 106
Texas Maid ... 106
Papillote ... 106
Elihu ... 113
Servant Pride ... 111
Ben Cloi ... 111
Little Marcella ... 103
Chagrin ... 108
Grand Flight ... 108
Magna Mater ... 107
Forceful ... 111
Title Star ... 108
Levi Cooke ... 104
San Lu ... 111
Ought To ... 108
Might Surprise ... 104
Swanky Miss ... 101
Tabora ... 106

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Skotchy ... 109
Isenberg ... 109
Epiwitch ... 99
Imperial Maryan ... 109
Fools Folly ... 110
Moon Sail ... 102
Whipowill ... 111
Wee Emma ... 108
Grey Man ... 117
Between Bells ... 102
Harem Queen ... 112
Sourdine ... 106
Chessie ... 99
Discriminate ... 109
Dilwin ... 111
Phyllis R. ... 110
Sir Ajax ... 109
Lanquo ... 110

Fifth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Camp Parole ... 105
Dian ... 107
Just a Sheik ... 110
Sorcery ... 105
Northvale ... 110
Surly ... 107
Probationer ... 105
Later On ... 103
Discobolus ... 112
Rockhurst ... 107
Brown Molasses ... 105
Dispeller ... 110
My Rosanne ... 100
Cloido ... 110
Sir Jacob ... 105
John Mill ... 110
Canter On ... 105
Joe Geary ... 112

Sixth Race—Mile and seventy yards:
Blue Hour ... 103
Late News ... 109
Hickory Lad ... 109
Moving Clouds ... 108
Rapid Prince ... 107
Sun Circle Blaze ... 102
Oddesa Beau ... 108
Irish Image ... 112
Flower Day ... 101
Chortle ... 104
Witan ... 112
Wilco ... 109
Zrech ... 116

Seventh Race—Mile and one-eighth:
Playabit ... 106
Smooth ... 114
Little Satin ... 108
Lord Dean ... 108
Nassa Alone ... 104
Olive A. ... 103
More Power ... 108
Peggys Peggy ... 105
Dust Lane ... 103
Sisko ... 103
Skipsea ... 111
Ulmer ... 108
My Ione ... 100
Morroll ... 103
Lonmern ... 103
Imperial Blondy ... 104
Southland Lad ... 111
Para Four ... 103

German Team Wins Again

About 10,000 frenzied bike fans saw the close of the Madison Square Garden six-day bicycle race, and witnessed the favorite team of (left to right) Gustav Kilian and Heinz (the pickler) Vopel, from Germany, pile up a commanding lead, with a total of 1,400 points, to win the event in the final sprints. They were tied in miles with the second and third teams, at 2,477 and seven laps. But Walthour and Crossley could amass only 757 to get second place; and Letourner and Brocado were third with 396 points.

EXPLOSION SHOTS

By BOBBY JONES

Since this will be the last of my newspaper articles on golf to appear, at least for some time, I shall use it to leave one final thought which I think will be helpful to golfers of all classes. Over the past eight years I have written a lot about the importance of a backswing of ample length. I have also tried to emphasize the fact that very few make a sufficient use of the power in their legs and back. The typical method of the above-ninety player includes only a short, quick backswing, of little more than half the proper length followed by an ineffective jab at the ball. There is rarely any leg-work or much body turn in such a swing. Accomplished almost entirely by the hands and arms, there should be no surprise when it fails to develop a gratifying amount of power, even when it connects solidly.

BOBBY JONES

SHORT BACKSWING FAST

What I want every golfer to remember is that a short backswing is always fast, and a fast one is always short. The two invariably go together.

I think the proper conception of the backswing is conveyed best by the word "leisurely." Slow back can be overdone, for one can slow down the movement until it becomes jerky and full of tension. But the tempo of the swing can have a lot to do with the mechanics of it. When one swings without hurry, or in a leisurely manner, smoothness is enhanced, unnecessary tension is reduced, and it becomes easier to complete an ample windup which will be capable of producing real power.

In the same way, a "quiet" start down is of incalculable value. The average golfer can't wait to reach the top before he wants to have a rush at the ball. Rarely does he give himself time to windup before he starts to unwind. Even after a proper windup, too great haste in starting down is fatal. In order to preserve the wrist-cock, and other sources of power, to be used at the right time, one must start down as swung back, "in a leisurely" manner."

EFFORT TO IMPROVE

And now, let me say that it is my sincere hope that this and the other things I have written will enable at least a few of my fellow golfers to play the game with more enjoyment. It is a great game and well worth some effort to play well, and because proficiency is not bought cheaply, progress toward it is all the more gratifying.

Although I regret that I am forced to give up, even temporarily, an association which I have enjoyed for so long, I am consoled by the thought that I am doing so only that I may give more time to the game in other fields.

Lawson Little is going to continue this series, or rather begin one of his own in its place. No doubt a fresh viewpoint will be welcomed. Certainly it will come from one well equipped. Lawson has won his own battles. He is one of the few who, by dint of hard work and study, has been able to achieve the highest proficiency. He could never have reached the top and held it as he has if he had not learned his lessons well.

In signing off, I should like to express my gratitude for the interest which many readers have shown in my writings. Particularly do I want to thank those who have been kind enough to write me that they have received benefit from them. Their letters are valued trophies.

TRIAL RUGBY FIXTURE IS CARDED HERE

Victoria's McKechnie Cup Candidates to Play "The Rest" Saturday

Bob McInnes, veteran coach and manager of the J.B.A.A., and boss this season of the Bays-Wanderers senior "A" fifteen, was yesterday evening named manager of Victoria's McKechnie Cup fifteen which will oppose Vancouver at the Macdonald Park on Boxing Day, December 26. The appointment was made at the regular meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union held in The Colonist board room.

With the date of the fixture with the Mainland fifteen not many days distant, executive members of the union granted the request of Coach Ernest Butterworth to have a picked side play members of the "rep" squad in trial match on Saturday afternoon at Macdonald Park. It was explained by Manager McInnes that the coach had worked a number of plays in practice and wanted an opportunity of trying them on the field.

"REP" CANDIDATES

Coach Butterworth has named seventeen players for Saturday's match as follows: Forwards, Bill Wharton, Harry Peard, Ian Acland, Dan Doswell, Harry Eastham, Bert Barker and Campbell Forbes; halfbacks, Wally Stipe and "Buzz" Brown; three-quarters, Ken Fleming, Pete Turgoose, Paul Rowe and Appleton; fullback, Ted Colgate. Reserves, Ken Buxton and J. Arnott.

Final selection of Victoria's McKechnie Cup fifteen will follow Saturday's trial match.

What promises to be the classic of the Intermediate League will be presented Saturday afternoon at Macdonald Park, upper ground, when Fifth Brigade and Wanderers Whites, undefeated fifteens, meet for the second time. In their previous encounter the clubs battled to a draw after a great struggle.

Last week the Fifth Brigade turned in a smart performance against the Canadian Scottish and blanked them, 40-0, while the Oak Bay boys came through with a 9-0 victory over the second-place Victoria College fifteen.

The other Intermediate League encounter will bring together Victoria College and the Wanderers Blues at Victoria High School grounds.

Five Members of Swansea Named On Rugby Team

CARDIFF, Wales, Dec. 16 (CP).—Five members of the Swansea team, the only club to defeat the All-Blacks on their present Rugby tour of the British Isles, have been included in the fifteen to represent Wales against New Zealand here next Saturday.

The team: Full back, Jenkins (London-Welsh); three-quarters, Rees Jones (Oxford University); Idwal Ross (Swansea); Wooler (Cambridge University); C. Davey (Swansea); halfbacks, C. Jones (Cambridge University); Tanner (Swansea); forwards, Tarr (Swansea); T. Rees (Newport); Payne (Swansea); Watkins (Cardiff); Williams (Cross Keys); Prosser (Heath); Lang (Llanelly); A. H. Rees (London-Welsh).

Some years after the Battle of Waterloo, when the Duke of Wellington was one of the best-known men in Europe, his face and figure familiar to millions, he attended a garden party. A stranger approached and, bowing, said:

"Mr. Ramsbottom, I believe?"

The Duke regarded him in silence for a moment and then replied: "Well, sir, if you believe that, you would believe anything."

Lou—Will I have to give up my club when we are married, love?

Laura—Oh, I'll have a little club at home for you, dear.

SCOTT'S SCRAPBOOK By R J Scott

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BOWLING

ARCADE ALLEYS

SENIOR FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Elks—R. Begg, 513; J. McMillan, 472; A. Stokes, 531; R. Aitken, 421; R. Turner, 617. Total, 2,554.

Scribes—J. Delahunty, 494; H. Buckle, 512; H. McCallum, 562; B. McKelvie, 492; S. Thomas, 655. Total, 2,715.

Scribes won two.

Good Eats—R. Williams, 667; G. Arsens, 558; A. Anderson, 543; C. Chislett, 505. Total, 2,373.

Liberty Cafe—V. Scarborough, 557; F. Welsh, 624; low score, 495; S. Nelson, 591. Total, 2,267.

Liberty Cafe won two.

Poodle Dog Cafe—Art Harness, 671; Harry Moulton, 585; Carle Rodway, 590; Sam Bell, 555; Jim Huxtable, 568. Total, 2,969.

The Daily Colonist—W. Dunn, 762; A. Benn, 617; E. Borde, 605; N. Lerick, 638; J. Hough, 588. Total, 3,210.

The Daily Colonist won three.

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

CIVIL SERVICE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Minerettes—M. Baker, 320; Mrs. Mackenzie, 156; M. Gilliland, 295; B. Pye, 255; low score, 199. Total, 1,235.

Motorites—D. Robertson, 339; F. Sanders, 244; P. Kelly, 92; A. Kergin, 301; E. Bourne, 107; D. Bennett, 261. Total, 1,344.

Motorites won two.

Bindery—E. Davison, 324; J. Wiley, 224; W. Johnston, 336; A. Shotbolt, 284; S. Anderson, 386. Total, 1,554.

Treasury—L. Clarke, 390; S. Hawkins, 261; G. Jones, 387; R. Tuthill, 323; C. Davies, 334. Total, 1,695.

Each won one game.

Agriculture—E. W. White, 447; L. W. Johnson, 330; G. L. Foulkes, 305; G. H. Stewart, 389; J. Bacon, 346. Total, 1,817.

Pressmen—O. Neill, 401; D. Foster, 441; H. Price, 367; H. McCaw, 357; H. Adams, 312. Total, 1,878.

Pressmen won two.

King Sprinters—M. F. Webb, 292; Mrs. Miller, 151; M. G. Webb, 262; E. Hudson, 251. Total, 956.

Ink Spots—M. Christopher, 244; D. Ockwell, 310; Rita Weeks, 216; M. Smith, 242. Total, 1,014.

Each team won one game.

Dumbelles—V. Wilson, 269; M. Corrie, 180; B. Wilson, 195; P. Macdonald, 369; low score, 268. Total, 1,271.

Duds—V. Jacklin, 326; T. Gandy, 355; R. Steele, 299; P. Pirkins, 265; M. Thomson, 314. Total, 1,559.

Duds won two.

COMMERCIAL "A" TENPIN LEAGUE

Watson's Men's Wear—J. Ferrie, 580; W. Johnston, 524; B. Morrison, 530; P. Stewart, 567; B. Logie, 642; handicap, 13. Total, 2,861.

Times—Colton, 508; Cliff, 497; Knott, 562; Lawson, 617; Jealouse, 536; handicap, 78. Total, 2,800.

Times won two.

Kermaths—Donaldson, 605; Muston, 547; Pollard, 518; Edwards, 437; Ferguson, 573; handicap, 141. Total, 2,851.

Kermaths won three by default.

C.P.R. FIVEPIN LEAGUE

E. & N. Lawn Bowlers—A. Shotbolt, 518; J. Belanger, 508; P. Taylor, 462; J. McMartin, 425; J. Hetherington, 426; handicap, 423. Total, 2,692.

City Freight and Passenger—J. Alywin, 632; C. P. Armistead, 681; E. J. Marsh, 142; A. Rumsby, 633; R. O. Lea, 619; R. J. Beattie, 501; handicap, 188. Total, 3,296.

City Freight and Passenger won three.

C.P. Express—G. E. Dey, 468; P. E. Dutot, 483; W. McDiarmid, 408; C. M. Tickle, 637; low score, 484; T. Johnson, 130; handicap, 135. Total, 2,745.

C.P. Telegraphs—G. A. Rasmussen, 521; S. R. Saunders, 479; A. MacFarlane, 504; W. Peters, 560; J. J. Hickey, 681; handicap, 225. Total, 2,970.

C.P. Telegraphs won two.

E. & N. Shops—T. Cullen, 529; W. Watson, 435; L. Pelling, 521; A. Zaccarelli, 537; H. Devereaux, 713; handicap, 141. Total, 2,876.

Empress Hotel—D. Graham, 751; J. Kemp, 544; E. Zimmerman, 606; A. Whyte, 560; H. Rawnsley, 461; handicap, 240. Total, 3,102.

Empress Hotel won three.

HOLDS SPECIAL MEET

Members of the staff of Scott & Peden held a bowling and social evening at the alleys last evening. The trundling started at 8 o'clock and continued for two and a half hours. Mixed teams competed and the following were the prize winners: Miss Margaret Horne, Miss Marjorie Breckenridge, Miss B. Peden, Miss Pat McLernan and Miss Thompson; gentlemen, Gordon Scott, Jack Newton, Crawford McDonald, Ronald Morley and George Todd.

Scores follow:

Scott & Peden No. 4—P. McLernan, 349; D. Reece, 343; C. McDonald, 366; R. Morley, 433; E. Peden, 488; handicap 309. Total, 2,298.

Scott & Peden No. 3—Mrs. B. Peden, 536; Miss D. Thompson, 418; G. Scott, 515; G. Todd, 326; E. Goodman, 415; E. Wagg, 440; handicap, 390. Total, 3,040.

Scott & Peden No. 2—Miss M. Horne, 412; Miss M. Breckenridge, 384; Jack Newton, 507; Sam Heyworth, 475; Charlie Bruce, 392; Alfred Thompson, 407; handicap, 345. Total, 2,922.

Scott & Peden No. 1—Helen Peden, 462; L. Tapley, 422; T. McKenzie, 455; E. Jones, 451; W. Peden, 483; handicap, 378. Total, 2,651.

In a certain district in East Africa is a resident magistrate. When he is away a doctor acts for him.

Recently each agreed that he had broken the law by riding at night without a light. Both thought that the law would be vindicated if each appeared in court before the other.

The magistrate sat first and fined the doctor five pounds. When it was the doctor's turn to administer the law, he fined the magistrate twenty pounds.

The magistrate looked aghast, but the doctor justified his severity by emphasizing that an example was needed, since obviously the offence was becoming a common one; this was the second case that very day.

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MARINE, RAIL and AIR

ORIENT SHIP SPEEDED UP

President Jefferson Reached Port Sunday Morning With Congressional Party

Coming alongside of the local dock several hours ahead of the announced time of her arrival, the American Mail Line Ss. President Jefferson, Captain A. O. Lustie, U.S.N.R., commander, tied up shortly before 7 o'clock Sunday morning. The big ship was inbound to Seattle from Manila, via China, Japan and Hawaii, making a call at Honolulu for the benefit of the United States Congressional party returning from the inaugural ceremonies at the Philippine capital.

The majority of the party which sailed westward aboard the Ss. President Grant, on October 16, came back on the Jefferson, a number leaving in various directions at Manila, some to continue around the world, while others extended their travels to take in Manchukuo. At Honolulu several more left the liner and crossed to San Francisco. Newspapermen aboard scattered, too, William Allen White, famous Kansas editor, and wife, were among the travelers going home by way of San Francisco, while Sterling Fisher, of The New York Times, is remaining in the Orient until February next.

Among the returning party on the President Jefferson, Sunday, were several senators and congressmen who had gone to Manila by other routes, among them being Senator and Mrs. Ryan Duffy, of Wisconsin, and Representatives Arthur H. Greenwood and wife, of Indiana; R. Ewing Thomason and wife, of Texas; A. Willis Robertson and wife, of Virginia; S. Elmer J. Ryan and wife, of Minnesota, and Hon. Harry B. Howes, wife and daughter, the former being a former United States senator.

THOSE RETURNING

Travelers who sailed on the Grant and returned on the Jefferson included, in addition to Vice-President and Mrs. Garner, Hon. and Mrs. Joseph W. Byrns, the former being Speaker of the House of Representatives; Senators Henry F. Ashurst, Arizona; Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas; William H. King, Utah; Park Trammell, Florida; Gerald P. Nye, North Dakota; Tom Connoly, Texas; James Byrnes, South Carolina; Matthew M. Neely, West Virginia; Warren R. Austin, Vermont; Bennett Champ Clark, Missouri; Nathan L. Bachman, Tennessee; Ernest W. Gibson, Vermont, and Edward R. Burke, Nebraska.

Congressmen were Representatives Robert L. Doughton, North Carolina; Allen T. Treadway, Massachusetts; Bertrand H. Snell, New York; Arthur H. Greenwood, Indiana; Sam D. McReynolds, Tennessee; Robert A. Green, Florida; Lloyd Thurston, Iowa; Lindsay C. Warren, North Carolina; Wilburn Cartwright, Oklahoma; Joe L. Smith, West Virginia; Henry Ellenbogen, Pennsylvania; Leo Kocialkowski, Illinois; C. Jasper Bell, Missouri; H. Sterling Cole, New York; Fred L. Crawford, Michigan; Don Gingery, Pennsylvania; Bert Lord, New York; Don R. McGehee, Mississippi; George H. Mahon, Texas, and Karl Stefen, Nebraska.

Also included in the party were wives, daughters and sons of senators and representatives, as well as Hon. Santiago Ingiosias, resident commissioner of Porto Rico, and Mrs. Inglosias; Leslie L. Biffle, secretary to the Majority of the Senate, and Mrs. Biffle; Miss Regina Crawford, of Washington; Erwin Canham, Washington correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor, and Mrs. Canham; Arthur W. Hachten, representing the International News Service, and Mrs. Hachten, and J. D. Hopkins, representative of the American Mail Line, who accompanied the Congressional party, and Mrs. Hopkins.

Queen Charlotte Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 12 and 2? and January 9 and 23.
VIA PRINCE RUPERT—Mails close 1:15 p.m., December 18, and January 1, 15 and 29.
Ti-ell to Prince Rupert only.

CANADA DUE IN MORNING

Liner Docking Before Noon—Lumber Ship Loaded At Ogden Point

On her way in from Far East ports by way of Honolulu, the Canadian Pacific liner Ss. Empress of Canada, Captain A. J. Hosken, R.N.R., commander, will arrive at William Head at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, according to advices received by James Macfarlane here yesterday. This should bring the big liner up alongside Rithet Piers by 11 o'clock. The Canada has passengers, mails and general cargo for this port. She will continue to Vancouver after completing here.

Coming in from United Kingdom ports by way of Panama, California and Washington ports, the Furness Line Ms. Pacific Grove was due to arrive during the night. The combined freight and passenger liner has general cargo for discharge here.

From China and Japan ports, the Blue Funnel Line Tyndareus is due here tomorrow, bringing in passengers, mails and cargo.

To load lumber for the United Kingdom, the British freighter Haxby was at Ogden Point Piers yesterday. The Haxby was to load 500,000 feet of lumber, and it was reported she would be ready to shift to Port Alberni during the night.

Discharging 25,000 barrels of oil for Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, the tanker Albertolite was at Thetis Cove, Esquimalt Harbor, yesterday, arriving there at 8 o'clock in the morning.

Mayor Charles L. Smith, of Seattle, was a visitor to Victoria for a short time on Sunday morning. He arrived on the Ss. Iroquois and went aboard the Ss. President Jefferson shortly after coming here for the purpose of meeting Vice-President Garner and party.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (P).—A fleet of 600 automobiles for New Zealand will be dispatched on the Ss. Lichlomond, now loading here. In addition, the vessel will carry paper, flour, general and lumber.

Canadian Pacific Empress of Can-Canada, inbound, is due at quarantine at 10 a.m. Wednesday and scheduled to arrive here at 5:15 p.m. the same day.

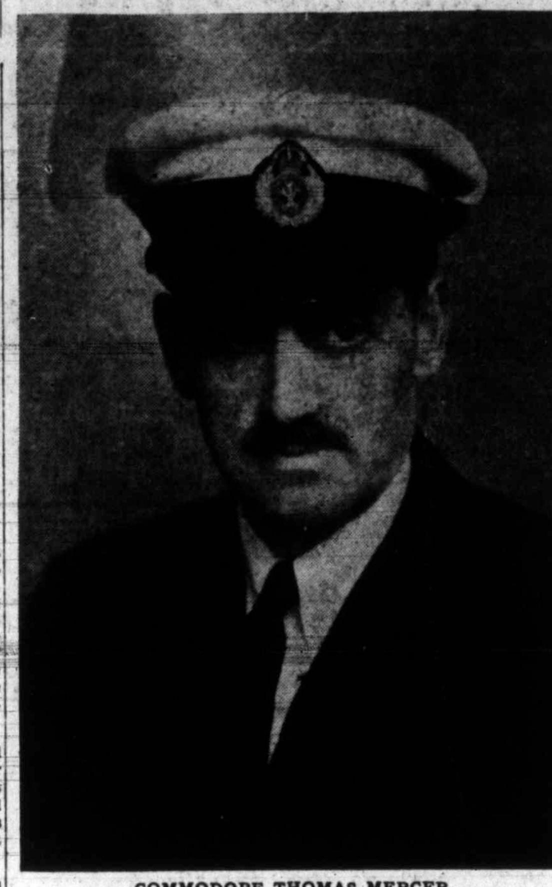
The Harbor Board fireboat Pluvius has been temporarily withdrawn from service for her annual overhaul at the North Vancouver Ship Repair Yards.

The Norwegian Ss. Romulus will go into Burrard Drydock at North Vancouver this week for painting and scraping. Ms. Tosari, of the Silver-Java-Pacific Line, due here within the week, is also expected to go to the North Vancouver yards for her seasonal overhaul.

Ss. Golden State, of the Oceanic & Oriental Line, will revive the service of the Matson Line to the Antipodes, announcement was made by Dingall, Cotts & Co. today. She is due January 20 to load for Australia and New Zealand.

The ship last arrived here in July and laid in stream until October 1, when her crew refused to sail her if she was loaded by alleged non-union labor during the Vancouver waterfront strike.

Chosen Regatta Chairman



COMMODORE THOMAS MERCER

At the annual meeting of the Pacific International Yachting Association, held at Bellingham on Sautrday, Victoria was the choice of the clubs represented to handle the meet of Northwest yachtsmen for 1936. Commodore Mercer, of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, was elected chairman of the P.I.Y.A. for the year, and F. Clifford Adams, secretary of the local yacht organization, was chosen secretary of the P.I.Y.A.

At the conference many matters were discussed, among others being courses for the various types of boat. Yachtsmen present favored a 40-mile course in the Strait of Juan de Fuca for a perpetual challenge trophy, this race to be sailed annually over the same course, no matter where the regatta is held. The old yacht course between Brotchie Ledge and Royal Roads was favored for the smaller cruiser type, while the Cadboro Bay course of the R.V.Y.C. will be sailed by stars, dinghies and flatties.

There will be five days' racing, and a large number of sailing craft will compete.

PARTY BACK HOME AGAIN

Vice-President Impressed With Good Comradeship Of Travelers

Hon. John Nance Garner, Vice-President of the United States, was in the barber shop of the Ss. President Jefferson, his face swathed in steaming towels, when the liner docked here early Sunday morning on her way into Seattle, homeward bound from Far East ports.

That's where Victoria and Seattle newspapermen found him, after Mrs. Garner had volunteered the information as to his whereabouts, saying at the same time he would very likely go from there to the dining saloon.

Having to work quickly, as the ship was posted to proceed as soon as she was entered and cleared with Canadian customs officials and mails were landed, the local contingent waited outside in the alleyway and watched an Associated Press photographer getting an informal "shot" at the Democrat dignitary and heard him tell the Associated Press correspondent, who met the ship here, that he would be "at the pleasure of you boys as long as you care to ask questions—after I've had my breakfast. Can't let anything interfere with that, especially when Mrs. Garner is waiting for me."

NICE START

That was a nice start for the American newsmen, but not so good for the Canadians who were unable to accompany the party to the Puget Sound port. Waiting until breakfast was over was out of the question—by that time the vessel would be on her way. Something had to be done. Ignoring what had been heard, the Vice-President was told how it was, whereupon he said he was sorry he had spoken so quickly, "but I'm still set on the breakfast business. We can all get what we want at the same time," he added. "Come along to the dining-room and make yourself at home."

Mrs. Garner was just about through breakfasting as the table was reached. Making known his breakfast wants, Mr. Garner said: "Boys, you must remember I'm still the 'Silent Partner.' Politically, I can't tell you what I think about the home situation, or about Hawaii, the Philippines—or China and Japan. Any questions you would like to ask, though, about the trip generally, why fire away.

He stated that the party had been received everywhere with great courtesy, and it had seen a lot of "terrain." Undoubtedly, the trip across the ocean had broadened the scope of each individual's knowledge regarding the objectives of the various peoples whose lands touched the shores of the Pacific. Senators and Congressmen who made the journey would undoubtedly be able to deal with matters concerning Oriental questions much more intelligently in the future through what they had observed while away. Taking advantage of the opportunity to visit the countries of the Orient had been productive of a lot of good.

GOSSIP TABOO

Apart from the flattering receptions which had been tendered the distinguished party by all classes in the Orient, what impressed the Vice-President most was the good comradeship exhibited throughout the voyage by all the men and women who went along. "I wouldn't have believed it possible, if I hadn't experienced it myself, that so many men, and especially so many women, could have gone along for so long without getting into gossipy mischief and creating little unpleasantnesses." Mrs. Garner smiled there. "You are continually learning something," he continued, "and this visit to the Orient has given me a keener appreciation of what a group of men and women, confined to the limits of a vessel for almost a month, can do to make things pleasant for one another."

Time and steamers won't wait for newspapermen, although the latter will generally wait for politicians and, sometimes, men of standing—the American Mail ship waited for Mayor C. L. Smith, of Seattle, Sunday morning—so, although the visit with the Vice-President and Mrs. Garner was most pleasant and interesting, it had to come to a hurried end.

"Come and see us if you ever get a chance to visit Washington," were his cordial parting words, "you'll be welcome."

SPECIAL TRIPS FOR THURSDAY

Low Fares Are Offered Vancouver Island Residents By Coach Lines

For Thursday, December 19, the Vancouver Island Coach Lines, Limited, have announced special excursions from Nanaimo and points south, and from Sidney and West Saanich to Victoria.

A special rate of the single fare for the return will be effective on the above date on all trips from Sidney and West Saanich with the return trip to be completed on the same day on any scheduled trip from Victoria.

Low excursion return fares will also be in effect on the Nanaimo-Victoria line. These rates will be good going on the 8 a.m. schedule from Nanaimo, returning on the 6:15 p.m. from Victoria that day.

It is expected that these excursion will prove popular with the Island residents and that a great number of them will avail themselves of the opportunity to spend the day in the capital city.

ORCHESTRAL NAVIGATION

Flyers of British Plane Tune In on Broadcasts for Directions

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Two British flyers are navigating by broadcast over seven countries of continental Europe. Their machine, an S.T. 25 Jubilee monoplane equipped with two ninety horsepower air-cooled motors, is fitted with a radio receiving apparatus and a visual "homing" device.

The travelers tune in to the broadcast station nearest to the line of route which is sending out a programme and navigate under the guidance of a needle indicator that shows whether the dance music, heavy tragedy, talk on gardening, sermon or whatnot has its origin directly ahead or is off the line being followed by the airplane. Whether or not the broadcast will relieve the tedium of the journey must plainly be a matter of luck.

A SEARCHING TEST

The homing radio device is especially valuable in conditions of bad visibility—fog, clouds, rain or darkness. The journey on which H. C. Macphail and R. Ker are at present engaged is taking them over Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Latvia, Estonia and Finland, covering a region of Northwestern Europe which is scarcely remarkable for good weather at this time of year. The trip should provide, therefore, a searching test of the device, which forms part of the standard equipment of the Jubilee monoplane.

Ability to maintain flying height and to do all normal flying evolutions on the power of one engine alone is an outstanding detail of S.T. 25 performance, and makes it a secure and dependable craft for use in countries where landing grounds are few and far between and geographical conditions such that forced landings almost invariably entail considerable risks. It carries four or five occupants and cruises economically at 123 miles per hour. It has a landing headlight, a separate luggage compartment and wings that can be folded for housing.

NEW ZEALAND ORDERS EIGHT LOCOMOTIVES OF MODERN PATTERN

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Dec. 16 (P).—New Zealand Government railways today ordered eight streamlined electric locomotives to be built by the English Electric Company of London.

A Western store ran the following advertisement:

"Apples, oranges, imported nuts. Come early and avoid the rush. The early bird gets the worm."

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN—Rain; southeast, fresh; 30.06; 48; rough.
LEONARD ISLAND—Overcast; southeast, moderate; 30.06; heavy swell.
PACHENA—Cloudy; south, fresh; 30.10; 47; rough.
CARMANAH—Cloudy; south, fresh; 30.15; heavy swell.
CAPE BEALE—Cloudy; southeast, moderate; 30.10; heavy swell.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN

*HIYE MARU—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 3. Due at Yokohama, December 17.
PRESIDENT GRANT—Mails close 4 p.m., December 7. Due at Yokohama, December 20; Shanghai, December 24; Hongkong, December 27.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close 4 p.m., December 14. Due at Yokohama, December 26; Shanghai, December 30; Hongkong, January 2.
*HEIAN MARU—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 20. Due at Yokohama, January 3.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Mails close 4 p.m., December 21. Due at Yokohama, January 3; Shanghai, January 7; Hongkong, January 10.
†EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close 4 p.m., December 28. Due at Yokohama, January 11; Shanghai, January 14; Hongkong, January 17.
PRESIDENT JACKSON—Mails close 4 p.m., January 4. Due at Yokohama, January 17; Shanghai, January 21; Hongkong, January 24.
*Letters and paper mails for Japan, China and Hongkong.
†Carries mail for Honolulu.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

AORANGI—Mails close 4 p.m., December 4. Due at Auckland, December 23; Sydney, December 28.
MARIPOSA (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 7. Due at Auckland, December 27; Sydney, December 30.
MAKURA (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 15. Due at Wellington, January 6; Sydney, January 11.
NIAGARA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 1. Due at Auckland, January 20; Sydney, January 27.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON — Philippines, China and Japan, December 15.
NARENTA — United Kingdom, December 13.
TYNDAREUS—China and Japan, December 16.
PACIFIC GROVE—United Kingdom, December 17.
EMPRESS OF CANADA — Philippines, China, Japan and Hawaii, December 18.
PRESIDENT JACKSON — Philippines, China and Japan, December 24.
HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver) — Japan, December 26.
NIAGARA—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, December 27.
LOCHGOIL — United Kingdom, December 26.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — Philippines, China and Japan, December 30.
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE — United Kingdom, December 31.

TO DEPART

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Japan, China and Philippines, December 14.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, December 21.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Japan, China and Philippines, December 21.
PACIFIC GROVE (Vancouver)—United Kingdom, December 23.
EMPRESS OF CANADA—Hawaii, Japan, China and Philippines, December 28.

Coasting Craft

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 2 p.m. daily for Vancouver; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Vancouver at 3:30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.
VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 4:30 p.m. daily for Seattle; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Seattle
VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois arrives in Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:35 a.m.
NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 8 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1:15 p.m. and 5:45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 8 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 9:15 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1:15 p.m. and 5:45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Sunday only at 5:45 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo on Sunday only at 1:15 p.m. and 11:15 p.m.
VICTORIA-WEST COAST — Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for West Coast of Vancouver Island ports on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.
VANCOUVER-NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA—Ss. Princess Adelaide will leave Vancouver every Wednesday for Prince Rupert and way ports at 8 p.m.; Ss. Prince Rupert or Ss. Prince George will leave Vancouver for Stewart and way ports every Monday at 9 p.m.; Ss. Cardena will leave Vancouver every Tuesday at 9 p.m. for Prince Rupert and way ports; Ss. Catala will leave Vancouver every Friday at 9 p.m. for Stewart and way ports.
VANCOUVER — QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS—Ss. Prince Charles will leave Vancouver every alternate Saturday for Queen Charlotte Island points and Prince Rupert at 5 p.m.
SWARTZ BAY-FULFORD HARBOR — Mv. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesdays, at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Mv. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesdays, at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.
BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Mv. Cascade leaves Brentwood daily at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.; Mv. Cascade leaves Mill Bay daily at 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.
VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS — Princess Mary leaves Victoria every Tuesday for James Island, Piers Island, Port Washington, Ganges Harbor, Mayne Island, Galiano Island and Vancouver at 10:30 a.m.
VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8:35 a.m.
SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Ss. Rosario will leave Sidney daily for Anacortes at 1:45 p.m.; Ss. Rosario will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1:15 p.m.

Northern Points

PRINCE RUPERT AND POINTS WEST OF FORESTDALE

Mails close Mondays, Wednesday, Friday and via C.P.R. Skagway steamers, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3:30 p.m.; Sunday and Friday, 7:15 a.m.

PRINCE RUPERT

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m., via Kamloops and Jasper.
Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3:30 p.m.

POINTS ON C.N.R. BETWEEN PRINCE RUPERT AND RED PASS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3:30 p.m.

STEWART, PREMIER AND ANYOX

Mails close Monday, Friday, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7:15 p.m.

SWANSON BAY

Mails close Tuesday, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3:30 p.m.

OCEAN FALLS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, 7:15 a.m.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st of each month for Ahousat, Bamfield, Ceepeecee, Clayoquot, Clo-oose, Ecoole, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Alberni, Port Renfrew, Sechart, Tofino, Ucluelet. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th 18th and 28th of each month, except
Mails close 10 p.m., 21st each month, and 9:45 a.m., 22nd each month, for Centre Island. Due 1:15 p.m., 28th of each month
Mails close 9:45 a.m., 6th, 16th and 26th of each month, except Sundays, for Clo-oose, Port Renfrew, Bamfield and Kildonan.
Mails close 9:45 a.m., Thursday and Saturday, for Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan, Ecoole.
San Mateo, Sechart, Ucluelet. Due 5:10 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday.
Mails close 11:15 p.m., Monday, and 1 p.m., Friday, for Holberg, Port Alice, Quatsino. Due 7 a.m., Tuesday and Friday.
Mails close 10 p.m., 1st of each month, and 9:45 a.m., 2nd of each month, for Cachalot. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th of each month.

Gulf Island Mail

GANGES, GALIANO, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, PORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

BEAVER POINT, FULFORD HARBOR

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SATURNA

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SOUTH PENDER

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.

MUSGRAVE

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Friday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, 7:15 a.m.

NORTH GALIANO

Mails close Sunday, 11:15 p.m.

British Mails

SS. NEWFOUNDLAND—Mails close 1:15 p.m., December 18.
SS. ILE DE FRANCE (Via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., December 20.
SS. DUCHESS OF YORK—Mails close 1:15 p.m., December 22.
Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail may be posted three days later than the dates indicated.

JAMAICA

Mails close 1:15 p.m., December 20 and 22.

Honolulu Mails

VIA SAN FRANCISCO—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 7, 8, 10, 15, 17, 21, 23, 24, 25 and 28; January 1, 4, 6 and 12.
MS. AORANGI — Mails close 4 p.m., December 4.
SS. EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close 4 p.m., December 28.
SS. NIAGARA — Mails close 4 p.m., January 1.
SS. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 9.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 1:15 p.m., December 13 and 27; January 10 and 24.
VIA SEATTLE — Mails close 4 p.m., December 6 and 20; January 3 and 17.

A stranded British actor went into a sordid hash house in New York for a cheap meal. In the waiter he was horrified to recognize a colleague who had played with him in London.

"Great Scott!" he gasped. "You a waiter in this place?"

"Yes, but I don't eat here," replied the other with some dignity.

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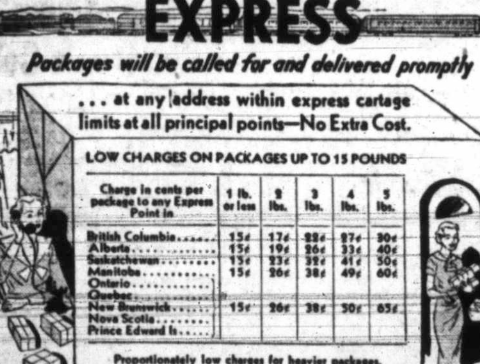

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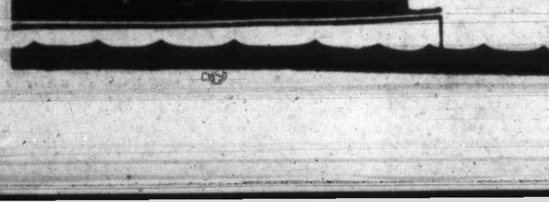

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With only seven shopping days left until the annual visit of Santa Claus, mothers and fathers are finding a wider variety than ever of toys for their children.

These are the days when "If you don't be good, I'll tell Santa Claus not to come here" is a household by-word. Little brothers and sisters are showing a remarkable improvement in their behavior, while clothes closets, top kitchen shelves and spare rooms receive their stocks of mysterious looking parcels.

What fun there will be later on in wrapping up the gifts and hanging them on decorated Christmas trees or in stockings in front of the fireplace. Children who are hard to get out of bed in the morning usually beat dad by several hours on Christmas morning.

SCIENTIFIC TOYS

Our scientific age is reflected by many toys and games to be seen in the toy departments. For the serious-minded boy there are chemistry sets, enabling him to perform countless mystifying experiments; outfits to build model airplanes and automobiles; attractive boxes containing conjuring tricks; microscope outfits, complete with the necessary apparatus to delve into the secrets of nature, and many varieties of construction sets, to build models of almost anything with.

In the line of wheeled toys there are stream-lined tricycles, coasters, fire engines and scooters, many equipped with electric lights. Boats, steam engines, electric motors and magic lanterns, dear to the hearts of most boys, are found in many ingenious models.

Electric trains this year are closely following the lines of modern stream-lined mammoths of the rails. Even the clock-work ones are smarter than ever.

SOLDIERS POPULAR

Toy soldiers, once part of every boy's play box, are again becoming popular. Sets of tools may be found for boys of all ages, from the one who likes to experiment upon the piano stool legs to the one who wants to build things of his own. There is a wide variety of musical instruments from diminutive trombones, saxophones and drums to the ever-popular mouth organ.

For smaller children there are realistic dogs, cats and teddy bears and many unbreakable metal and wooden toys. The selection of games this year is large. Many are both amusing and instructive.

Little sister is provided for by Canadian-made dolls of all sizes, sets of dishes, miniature cooking stoves, washing machines and doll perambulators which are exact replicas of full-sized ones.

Oriental toys are scarce this year. They have been replaced by Canadian, English and United States products.

MINE SETS NEW PRODUCTION MARK

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (?).—Cariboo Gold Quartz Mines shipped bullion with a gross value of $92,155 during the month of November, a new high production record, J. R. V. Dunlop, secretary announced today.

Normal production for November was $67,095. The month's cleanup of the Ball Mill yielded 716 ounces of gold valued at $25,060. Ore handled during the month totaled 4,501 tons.

WHAT'S DOING ON THE LOCAL RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Victoria families wishing to secure Japanese oranges for the Christmas holidays are urged to secure them as quickly as possible, for wholesalers yesterday stated that the final shipment of oranges which arrived yesterday are being rapidly sold. It is expected the market will be clear of Japanese oranges here inside of a week. Yesterday a shipment of 4,000 bundles of Japanese oranges, a total of 8,000 boxes, was placed into storehouses. The fruit will be distributed to retail stores within a few days. The price of Japanese oranges has been fixed at seventy-five cents per box.

A shipment of turkeys and geese will arrive this week, probably Wednesday, it was stated. Prices will range between thirty-eight and forty cents per pound, it was expected. A car of Ashcroft potatoes arrived yesterday.

Some 800 boxes of cranberries, weighing twenty-five pounds each, have arrived here. Prices range from twenty-nine to thirty-three cents per pound. Green peas are selling at fifteen and twenty cents per pound.

A car of citrus fruit will arrive today. Bananas for the holiday will arrive Wednesday. Price of butter and eggs remained unchanged.

The Romance Racket

MARIE BLIZARD

CHAPTER XXXII

There was color in Miss Van Cleve's withered cheeks as she requested Carol to buy a list of summery things for her—in late November. Her eyes held a new light and she spoke with almost a breathless quickness.

"I can't shop for these things that I want for—well, for reasons I will explain later, and I don't want anyone to know what you are doing. It makes me feel like a girl again to think of pretty clothes. I've always loved them but I've had no reason to have them until now."

She didn't explain any reason why she should want them now and Carol did not interrupt to ask her.

"Do you know I've a whole scrapbook of fashion pictures. I've always clipped them from magazines whenever I've seen something I'd like to have. Now I'm going to have them. There'll be no more black taffeta or blue serge. I want some nice suitable traveling clothes, a warm coat. Fur. That's what I'll have. A sealskin coat. And you shall have one too. You'll need beautiful clothes."

"Oh, Dear, What Shall I Do About Hats?"

Carol didn't have the heart to stop her. What could have been going on in that poor soul's mind?

"Hats," she continued. "Oh dear, what shall I do about hats? The new ones are no longer flattering to an old lady. I shall have to trust to your judgment. Carol you won't tell anyone what I've just said, will you?"

"No," Carol promised. "I will not." How could she ever tell anyone the pathetic things she had heard?

"And you will do it, won't you?" she pleaded.

"Yes, yes, and now it is nearly lunch time, Miss Van Cleve. Hadn't we better go back?"

Miranda Van Cleve looked at her steadily for a moment before she spoke:

"Carol, I can read your mind. You think this is the prattling of an insane old lady. It is not, I assure you. There are many gaps in all that I have said to you but I can fill them in. I'm sorry I spoke about the clothes just now before I had spoken of . . . of other things that I have been thinking I must give myself—and you also. I want to trust you. I don't know that I can. Forgive me for saying that, but you see I am an old friendless woman and I cannot afford to make mistakes. Again, I must ask you to say nothing of the things I spoke of this morning. If my nephew or Alice, that's his wife, should question you, I beg of you to say we spoke of . . . of any news event but not this."

She closed her eyes and did not wait for Carol to answer after her long speech.

So Carol was going to meet Alice Van Cleve. She didn't know there was a wife. She hoped she would be a kindly, jolly one, one who would understand all that was going on and be sympathetic to her husband's elderly, unfortunate aunt. And for a little while, she would say nothing of what happened this morning. Then and there she decided she would speak to no one about it other than Dr. Harding. She hated to tell even him, for she and Miranda Van Cleve seemed to be kindred spirits beneath the difference of their ages.

"Perhaps she had the same sort of a barren girlhood I had," Carol thought with pity.

After that morning, Miranda Van Cleve never spoke of the shopping trip again until—but that is later in the story. Carol had her lunch and dinner with Miss Van Cleve, her breakfast on a tray in her own room.

The young and the old woman rode out daily for their airing through Central Park. They played Canfield and cribbage. Miranda taught Carol to knit and watched with affectionate eyes when Carol dropped a stitch and pretended mock panic. They read the same books. Miss Van Cleve had a passion for modern society novels and Carol trotted back and fourth from the circulating library.

Miranda Van Cleve was having a very enjoyable time, but after nearly a fortnight Carol was growing weary. She wanted to be alone. She wanted her own apartment. She wanted to dress in a party dress and be with people her own age. Horton Van Cleve had told her that she was to take off such time as she wanted. She had not taken advantage of that, but now she wanted to.

Carol called Mary Cameron and Mary said: "Lovely to hear from you, darling. Isobel and John are in town for the week-end and I'm having some people in. Come on over."

"Sure you don't mind?" Carol asked Miranda when she told her about the party.

"Run along, child. I'll be anxious to hear about your good time. I'm going to study my Culbertson and work out some of those hands you were trying to make clear to me." Carol had been teaching bridge to her charge and Miss Van Cleve had taken to it avidly.

The days had passed quickly, she thought, when she remembered the bridge lessons and the French schoolbooks they had been studying on those Winter afternoons.

Carol skipped dinner. She was anxious to get back to her own apartment. It was a little after six when she reached her home. All her own, she thought, happily surveying it, and she was glad to get back to it, sorry as it looked. Dust covered everything. She stripped to her lingerie and went to work cleaning up. There was a little pile of letters. They could wait for the precious moments she had promised herself.

For an hour she worked feverishly. She vacuumed the rugs, dusted the floors and furniture, polished the silver and, when things looked as shipshape as she could make them, she ran the tub full almost to its top and threw in half a box of fragrant bath salts, then, with the pile of letters on the little table beside the tub, she slipped into its fragrant soothing depths and luxuriated.

Away from the Van Cleve household, she reviewed all that had happened since she had been there. She thought of Horton Van Cleve and how silly she had been in her hasty conclusions. She had seen him seldom since that first morning. Her meetings with him had been brief and pleasant. He spent a few minutes each night with his aunt and she had always left them alone. He had asked no questions and made no requests.

As far Miranda, with the exception of that one peculiar conversation in the motor, she had said and done nothing else to give Carol cause to believe her otherwise than perfectly normal. Carol wondered if she hadn't dreamed that conversation. But Horton had said that she wasn't always irrational. In any event, there seemed to have been no reason for Carol's first instinctive feeling that surface appearances were not all that there was to the situtation.

Mrs. Van Cleve, Carol had learned was in the South. She was expected home daily and Carol was curious to know what manner of lady she would be.

"And that seems to sum up all my deductions," she said to herself, reaching for the pile of letters. With wet fingers she tore them open quickly.

There were the usual letters. The advertisements and announcements, the pleas for aid and a few little bills she had forgotten. There was a note from Shirley Thoms inviting her to a tea now four days past, an invitation to meet a Miss Winters, a note from Wayne Sommers apologizing for breaking in on her party with Gary . . .

Carol thought of Gary for the first time. She wanted to see him. She'd ask him to Mary's party. Carol hopped out of the tub and dried herself hastily. Then, wrapping the Turkish bathrobe around her, she went to the little bedroom and dialed Gary's number.

"Hello," she said, "this is Carol . . . want to go to a party with me tonight?"

"Hello, Carol," he answered, and did she imagine it or was his customary enthusiasm missing? "I'd like awfully to go but I've another date. Another time perhaps . . ."

"Sorry," she said flatly, ". . . of course another time. I'll . . . I'll give you a ring."

That was the first time Gary had ever spoken that way to her. "Another time perhaps!"

Carol experienced that dreadful lost feeling most girls know when the most devoted beau has ceased to be even interested.

She didn't care about the party any more; gaiety had gone out of her.

(To Be Continued)

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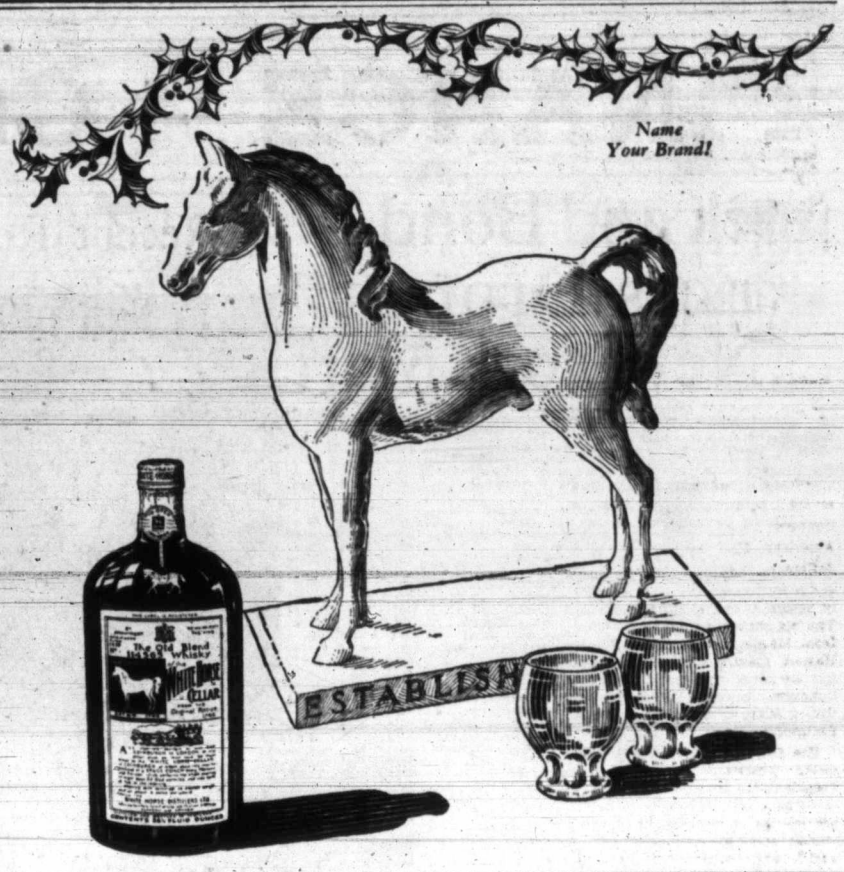

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(By James W. Barton, M.D.)

ADRENAL EXTRACT AND SALT FOR LESSENING NUMBER OF ASTHMATIC ATTACKS

Asthma in many cases appears to be a part of a family tendency to hay fever, asthma and eczema. A youngster may have eczema, his parent asthma and the grandparent hay fever.

Sometimes all three of these conditions will skip a generation and at other times more than one of these three ailments may be present in the same individual.

Cutting down on certain foods, operations on nose and throat, avoiding pollen from plants, has cured or prevented attacks of asthma. In fact, it was hoped that at last a cure for asthma had been found.

However, asthma is now felt to be a symptom and that various disturbances in the body can cause this tightening or closing of the little tubes that adjoin the large bronchial tubes and cause the symptoms of asthma.

About the most effective treatment in an attack of asthma is the hypodermic injection of a solution of adrenal extract. Adrenalin is the juice manufactured by the adrenal glands situated one on top of each kidney. This juice dilates or allows the blood vessels and tiny air tubes to open up so that air can be expelled or driven out of the lungs, thus relieving the symptoms of asthma.

However, something that would prevent (not simply relieve) attacks has long been sought. Drs. F. M. Pottenger, F. M. Pottenger, Jr., of Monrovia, and R. T. Pottenger, of Pasadena, California, in California and Western Medicine, report their treatment of fifty asthmatic patients with adrenalin by mouth. In addition, the patients were given ordinary table salt, three-quarters to one spoonful and a half in a glass of water one-half hour before meals. The table salt gives a feeling of well being, the bowel action greatly improves, the asthmatic attacks occur less often and are not as severe, even when no adrenalin is taken. Salt of itself doesn't prevent attacks, but combined with the use of the adrenal extract less adrenal extract was necessary to control attacks.

In all but two of the cases the combined use of the extract and the salt gave considerable relief. It was explained that the two unrelieved cases were unable to follow full directions as to rest, a very necessary part of the treatment.

The day after a somewhat stormy by-election meeting the prospective candidate, looking rather battered, was discussing the position with his agent.

"I think you're getting at them," the agent said hopefully. "They seemed more inclined to listen to you last night. You are becoming more popular."

"Popular!" snapped the candidate. "Why, they simply pelted me with rotten eggs."

"Yes, I know; but remember that they used to throw bricks," said the agent, consolingly.

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Despite all the mothers can do the kiddies will run out of doors not properly wrapped up; have too much clothing on; get overheated and cool off too suddenly; get their feet wet; kick off the bedclothes, and do a dozen things the mother cannot prevent.

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HENRY: "Yes, and you took me in as a partner and gradually we worked up to a fine herd of our own and later a modern dairy outfit. And don't forget what our wives and children did, Angus."

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stock and Bond Prices Drop at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP). — A handful of stock market specialties moved forward today in the slowest trading since October 9, despite declines of fractions to two or more points suffered by the rest of the list.

Analysts said the recession reflected profit-taking, selling for tax purposes, continued unrest over the silver situation and caution incident to unsettlement abroad.

Measured by the Associated Press average of sixty stocks, the market backed down .5 of a point to 53.2. Transactions totaled 1,408,500 shares compared with 1,902,134 on Friday.

Losses of fractions to 4 1-2 points were shaken from the mining issues following another cut in price of the white metal in both New York and London. In the latter centre the reduction amounted to about one cent an ounce. At New York the price for imported bar silver was clipped one cent to 59 3-4 an ounce, the lowest since March 23.

Today New York price compared with 65 3-8 cents a week ago, the day on which the United States Treasury first failed to take all silver offered in London.

Shares down fractions to two or more points included American Telephone at 154.

The bond market followed a zigzag course downward today with most active issues ending with small declines.

Rome 6 1-2's and the Government 7's were higher but losses ruled in Milan and public service issues.

(All Fractions in Eighths)
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	163-4	163	163
Allied Chemicals	155-4	153-4	153-4
Allis Chalmers	33	32-5	32-5
Amer. Can.	132	129-4	129-4
Amer. For. Power	6-7	6-5	6-6
Amer. Locomotives	25-1	25	25
Amer. Radiator	23-1	22-3	23
Amer. Rolling Mills	30-1	29-4	29-5
Amer. Smelter	58-6	57-1	57-1
Amer. Sugar	50-7	50-4	50-4
Amer. Tel.	155-4	154	154
Amer. Tobacco	93	92-4	92-4
Amer. Waterworks	20-5	20-1	20-1
Anaconda Copper	26-6	26-2	26-2
Atchison Railway	55-6	54-5	54-5
Atlantic Refining	26-6	26-1	26-3
Auburn	37-6	37	37
B. & O. Railway	16-1	15-6	15-7
Beth. Steel	46-2	45-2	45-3
Borden	26-1	25-6	25-6
Borg Warner	63	62-6	63
Briggs	51-4	51	51
Cal. Pack.	35	..	35
C. P. R.	11	10-7	10-7
Case (J.I.)	100	93	93
Caterpillar Trac.	56-1		
Celanese Corpn.	27-2	27	27-2
Cerro de Pasco	55	52-4	52-6
C. & O. Railway	51	50-4	50-6
Chrysler	87-1	85-3	85-4
Columbia Gas	13-4	13-1	13-1
Con. Gas	31-2	30-4	30-5
Commercial Solvent	20-5	20-2	20-2
Cont. Oil	30	29-5	29-5
Deere & Co.	52-4	50-4	50-4
Dome	42-3	42-1	42-1
Douglas Aircraft	37-7	36-2	36-2
Dupont	137-2	136	136-1
Eastman Kodak	155-4	154-4	155-4
Freeport Texas	27-2	27	27-2
Elec. Auto Lite	34-2	33-2	34
General Food	32-7	32-3	32-3
General Electric	36-2	35-6	35-7
General Motors	55-1	54	54
Goodyear	21-3	20-7	20-7
Great West Sugar	31-6	31-4	31-4
Great Northern	34-1	32-6	33
Harvester	61-4	60-6	60-6
Howe Sound	55-6	54-5	54-5
Hudson	16-3	16	16
Ind. Rayon	28-6	28-3	28-3
Int. Nickel	42-4	41-2	41-2
Int. Tel.	12-6	12-4	12-4
Johns-Manville	90-2	89	89
Kennecott Copper	27-6	27-3	27-3
Kresge	25-7	25-6	25-7
L. & M. Tobacco	105-4	104-4	105
Liquid Carbonic	35-5	35-4	35-4
Loew's	51-6	51	51
Lorillard	23-6	23	23
Mack Truck	27-4	27	27
May Stores	52-4	52	52
McIntyre	40	39-3	39-4
Mex. Sea Oil	31-4	30-6	30-6
Montgomery Ward	39-4	38-4	38-4
Nash	17-4	17-1	17-2
National Biscuit	32-5	32-2	32-5
Natl. Dairy	20-1	19-5	19-7
Natl. Distilleries	31-6	30-2	30-2
Natl. Power & Lite	9-6	9-5	9-6
New York Central	27-5	26-5	26-5
North American	24-6	24-3	24-4
Northern Pacific	22-5	19-7	20
Ohio Oil	13	12-5	12-5
Packard	6-6	6-4	6-4
J. C. Penny	82-3	82	82
Penn. Railway	30-4	29-7	29-7
People's Gas	40-4	40	40
Pullman	37-2	37	37
Radio	11-3	11	11-1
Rem. Rand	19-7	18-7	19-1
Republic Iron & Steel	17-5	17-4	17-5
Reynold's Tobacco	54-6	..	54-6
Schenley	52-2	..	52-2
Sears Roebuck	65-7	..	65-7
Shell	15-1	14-6	15-1
South Porto Rico	25-2	..	25-2
South Pacific	22-6	21-7	22
Standard Brands	14-6	14-4	14-5
Standard Gas	5-6	5-5	5-5
Standard Oil, Cal.	37-4	36-6	36-6
Standard Oil, N.J.	48-7	48-3	48-3
Socony Vacuum	14	13-4	13-5
Studebaker	9-4	9-2	9-2
Texas Corpn.	26-5	26-2	26-2
Texas Gulf	31-1	31	31
Timken	65-4	64-4	65
Trans. America	12-6	..	12-6
Underwood Elliot	86-4	85-7	85-7
Union Carbide	70-2	69-6	70
Union Oil, Cal.	21-5	21-4	21-4
Union Pacific	106	105	105
United Airways	22-6	22-1	22-1
United Fruit	65-4	64-7	65-4
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	20-5	..	20-5
U.S. Rubber	14-6	14-5	14-5
U.S. Steel	45-4	44-3	44-3
U.S. Smelting	98-4	94	94
Vanadium	19-1	..	19-1
Westinghouse	93-4	91-2	91-6
Western Union	71-4	69-4	69-4
Woolworth	53-7	55	55

TORONTO MINES DRIFT WEAKLY

Several Cheaper Golds Gain While Other Issues Record Losses

TORONTO, Dec. 16 (CP).—Losses peppered the mining board at the close today, a downward drift prevailing through the session. Noranda and Hudson Bay lost 3-8 to 1-2 each and Sudbury Basin and Ventures 5 to 9 cents. Falconbridge lost 55 cents to 6.65.

All higher-bracketed golds closed higher, Bralorne and Teck-Hughes were 5 to 10 cents down.

A few gold issues held to the up side. Beattie, Buffalo-Ankerite, Perron and Stadacona had gains of 1 to 4 cents each.

In the oils Nordon was a heavy trader. It advanced to 27 1-2 and then slumped to show a net loss of 1-2 at 21 1-2. Dalhousie lost 5 cents.

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.15½	.15⅞
Ajax	.51	.55
Bagamac	.05½	.06
Base Metals	.35	.36
Bear Exploration	.37	.45
Beattie	1.55	1.56
Big Missouri	.70	.71
Bobjo	.18	.18½
Bralorne	5.40	5.45
B.R.X.	.07	.08
Buffalo Ankerite	3.72	3.75
C. & E. Corpn.	.70	.79
Canadian Malartic	1.00	1.01
Cariboo	1.20	1.25
Castle Trethaway	1.08	1.11
Central Manitoba	.08	.09
Central Patricia	2.53	2.54
Chemical Research	.85	.95
Chibougamau	.15⅝	.16½
Coast Copper	3.30	3.50
Coniaurum	1.85	1.90
Dome	41.12½	42.00
Eldorado	1.22	1.24
Falconbridge	6.50	6.65
Gabrielle	.21	.25
God's Lake	1.20	1.21
Granada	.20	.21
Greene Stabell	.22	.22½
Gunnar	.76	.77
Hollinger	14.00	14.20
Home Oil	..	.80
Howey	.63	.67
Hudson Bay	21.50	21.87½
Jackson Manion	.25	.25½
Kirkland Lake	.50	.50½
Lakeshore	52.00	52.75
Little Long Lac	6.00	6.10
Macassa	3.16	3.17
Maple Leaf	.05½	.06½
McIntyre	39.75	40.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.30	1.31
McVittie Graham	.13½	.15
McWatters	1.61	1.62
Mining Corpn.	1.30	1.30
Morris Kirkland	.58	.60
Intl. Nickel	41.00	41.12½
Nipissing	2.72	2.75
Noranda	43.00	43.75
Parkhill	.18½	.19
Paymaster	.40	.40½
Pend Oreille	.93	1.00
Perron Gold	1.14	1.14½
Pickle Crow	3.40	3.42
Pioneer	9.50	9.75
Premier	1.74	1.75
Reid Authier	1.21	1.25
Reno	.95	1.00
Royalite	29.00	29.50
San Antonio	3.15	3.20
Sherritt-Gordon	.93	1.00
Siscoe	2.62	2.65
St. Anthony	.17¼	.19
Stadacona	.19½	.20
Sudbury Basin	3.03	3.12
Sylvanite	2.40	2.42
Teck-Hughes	4.78	4.80
Toburn	1.20	1.25
Ventures	1.61	1.62
Wayside	.15	.15¼
Wright-Hargreaves	7.70	7.80
Bankfield	.30	.33

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1937	5½ %	107.125	108.00
" "	1937	5 %	105.25	106.50
" "	1936	5 %	102.50	103.375
" "	1939	4 %	105.50	106.50
" "	1940	4½ %	108.75	109.625
" "	1941	5 %	110.125	111.00
" "	1942	3 %	101.25	102.25
" "	1943	5 %	110.125	112.00
" "	1944	4½ %	109.00	109.875
" "	1945	4 %	105.375	106.25
" "	1946	4½ %	108.75	109.75
" "	1949	3½ %	101.75	102.625
" "	1952	4 %	104.875	105.75
" "	1956	4½ %	107.00	107.75
" "	1957	4½ %	106.875	107.625
" "	1958	4½ %	107.00	107.875
" "	1959	4½ %	107.375	108.125
" "	1955	3 %	97.375	98.25
C.N.R.	1951	4½ %	109.25	111.00
"	1956	4½ %	109.50	110.75
"	1957	4½ %	108.25	109.50
"	1955	4¾ %	111.50	113.00
"	1969	5 %	112.50	113.75
"	1970	5 %	114.25	115.25
"	1954	5 %	112.50	114.00
"	1950	3 %	96.75	98.25
"	1944	3 %	99.75	101.00

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 16 (CP).—Following are today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current sterling exchange rate of $4.98, as supplied by Broomhall:

	Today	Sat'y
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, Dec.	1.06⅛	1.05¼
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic (Old), Dec.	1.01½	1.01⅛
Argentina (Rosafe), Jan.-Feb.	1.03⅜	1.04½
Argentina (Barusso), Jan.-Feb.	1.03⅞	1.04½
West Australia, Dec.	90⅝	93

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

MUNICIPAL

	Bid	Asked
Municipality of Esquimalt 5%, 1963	....	85.50
City of Victoria 5%, 1945	....	99.00
City of Vancouver 5%, 1965	....	94.00
Greater Vancouver Water District 4½%, 1970	97.00	99.00
City of Edmonton 5½%, 1945	85.00	88.00
City of Edmonton 7%, 1941	....	101.25
City of Montreal 5%, 1945	105.00	107.00
City of Quebec 5%, 1953	103.75	105.25
Toronto Harbor 4½%, 1953	105.75	107.25

PROVINCIAL

	Bid	Asked
Prov. of Alberta 4%, 1957	83.50	87.50
Prov. of Alberta 4½%, 1961	89.00	92.00
Prov. of Alberta 5%, 1955	89.50	92.50
Prov. of Alberta 6%, 1947	94.75	96.25
Prov. of B.C. 4%, 1957	91.75	94.25
Prov. of B.C. 4½%, 1969	95.00	97.00
Prov. of B.C. 5%, 1953	98.00	100.25
Prov. of B.C. 5½%, 1945	99.75	101.25
Prov. of B.C. 6%, 1947	100.25	101.75
Prov. of Manitoba 4%, 1957	98.25	99.75
Prov. of Manitoba 4½%, 1951	100.00	102.50
Prov. of Manitoba 5½%, 1958	104.75	106.25
Prov. of Ontario 4%, 1966	103.25	105.50
Prov. of Ontario 4½%, 1965	109.00	110.50
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1958	108.25	110.50
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1963	110.00	111.50
Prov. of Sask. 4%, 1954	86.50	88.00
Prov. of Sask. 4½%, 1951	93.75	95.25
Prov. of Sask. 5%, 1958	98.25	99.75
Prov. of Sask. 5½%, 1952	99.75	101.75
Prov. of Sask. 6%, 1952	103.25	104.75

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Dec. 16 (CP). — Bar gold in London down 1 cent at $35.05 in Canadian funds; 141s 1 1-2d in British funds. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $35.26 in Canadian funds.

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Recent Royal Bank Appointments

B. L. MITCHELL — JAMES MUIR — H. G. HESLER

Whose Appointments as Assistant General Managers of The Royal Bank of Canada, Were Announced Recently. Mr. Mitchell Was Formerly Supervisor of Ontario Branches, Mr. Muir, General Inspector, and Mr. Hesler, Secretary.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP). — Foreign exchange steady. Quotations in cents.

France — Demand 6.61⅛; cables 6.61⅛.
Italy—Demand 8.08; cables 8.08.
Demand:
Belgium—16.87.
Germany—Free 40.23; reg. tourist 24.00; reg. commercial 21.74.
Holland—67.73.
Norway—24.77.
Sweden—24.42.
Denmark—22.01.
Finland—2.18.
Switzerland—32.46.
Spain—13.70.
Portugal—4.48½.
Greece—.94½.
Poland—18.85.
Czechoslovakia—4.15.
Jugoslavia—2.29.
Austria—18.80.
Hungary—29.60.
Rumania—.83.
Argentina—32.87.
Brazil—8.60.
Tokio—28.77.
Shanghai—29.80.
New York—In Montreal—101.00.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Demand 4.93; cables 4.93; sixty-day bills 4.92.

WHEAT PRICES SLUMP SHARPLY

Heavy Selling in Outside Markets Depresses Values At Winnipeg Pit

WINNIPEG, Dec. 16 (CP).—Price tumbles in wheat ensued on the grain exchange today as operators in outside markets sold heavily here. Values closed 1 3-8 to 1 5-8 cents lower, December at 84 5-8, May 88 1-4 and July 88 5-8 cents.

Weakness at Chicago prompted the selling, which found the market lacking support. The Canadian Wheat Board also was reported to have sold futures on a moderate scale.

Continued orders from abroad for Canadian wheat failed to stem recession. Export sales today were estimated as high as 2,000,000 bushels—chiefly to the United Kingdom.

Australia also was reported to be selling her wheat freely.

Spreads were fractionally better in the cash grains section, coarse grains prices eased with wheat.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	98⅜	99⅝	99½	97½	97⅝
July	90⅛	90⅛	90⅜	89⅛	89⅛
Dec.	101⅛	102	102	100⅝	100⅝
Corn—					
May	60¼	60¼	60½	59½	59⅝
July	61⅝	61⅝	61⅝	60⅞	61⅛
Dec.	58⅝	57⅞	58	57½	57½
Oats—					
May	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	27¼	b27¼
July	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	27⅝	b27⅝
Dec.	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜	25½	25½
Rye—					
May	..	52¼	52½	51¾	51⅝
July	..	52⅜	52⅜	52	52
Dec.	..	50⅛	50⅛	50	50

Cash Grain

Wheat — 1 Hard, 85¼; 1 Nor., 84⅝; 2 Nor., 81⅝; 3 Nor., 76⅝; 4 Nor., 71⅝; No. 5, 61¼¼; No. 6, 57⅝; Feed, 46⅛; Track, 84⅛; Amber Durum No. 1, 80⅝; No. 2, 75¼; No. 3, 68¼; No. 4, 65¼; Track, 79¼; A.R.W. No. 1, 75¼; No. 2, 73¼; No. 3, 71¼; Garnet Wheat No. 1, 80¼; No. 2, 77¼.

Oats—2 C.W., 29; 3 C.W., 25½; Ex. 1 Feed, 25⅝; 1 Feed, 23⅛; 2 Feed, 20⅝; 3 Feed, 19; Track, 28⅛.

Barley—2 R.O.W., 40⅛; 6 R.O.W., 38½; 3 C.W., 33½; 4 C.W., 30; 5 C.W., 28½; 6 C.W., 27½; Track, 33½.

Rye—1 C.W., 41¼; 2 C.W., 41⅛; 3 C.W., 36¼; Rej. No. 2, 34⅛; 4 C.W., 34⅛; Track, 41⅛.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 148⅜; 2 C.W., 144⅛; 3 C.W., 132⅛; 4 C.W., 126⅜; Track, 148⅜.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	89⅝	90⅛	b90⅛	88⅛	b88⅛
July	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛	88⅜	b88⅜
Dec.	b86	86⅝	86⅝	84⅝	b84⅝
Oats—					
May	31⅝	31⅝	32	31	31
July	32⅝	32⅛	32	31½	31½
Dec.	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	28⅝	28½
Rye—					
May	b45½	46	46⅛	44⅝	a44⅝
July	a46⅜	46⅜	47	45½	45½
Dec.	a42½	43	43	41⅝	b41⅝
Barley—					
May	37⅛	37⅛	37⅝	36½	36⅝
July	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	37⅛	37⅝
Dec.	b34⅛	34⅛	34⅛	33½	33½
Flax—					
May	..	..	150⅜	147⅝	147⅝
July	..	..	..	..	148⅜
Dec.	..	..	149	148	148⅝

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

PUBLIC UTILITIES

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Power 5%, 1960	102.50	104.00
B.C. Telephone 5%, 1960	105.75	107.25
B.C. Electric 6%, Pfd.	106.75	108.75
B.C. Telephone 6%, Pfd.	105.75	107.75
Beauharnois Power 5%, 1973	31.00	32.75
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	98.00	99.75
C.P.R. 5%, 1954	104.50	106.50
Can. Nor. Power 5%, 1953	102.50	104.00
Gatineau Power "A" 6%, 1941	75.00	77.00
Gatineau Power "B" 6%, 1941	74.00	76.00
Western Power 5%, 1949	105.25	107.25

INDUSTRIALS

	Bid	Asked
Burns Bundles 5%, 1958	77.50	79.50
Canada Steamships 6%, 1941	39.75	43.50
Canada Cement 5½%, 1947	103.75	105.25
General Steel Wares 6%, 1952	98.50	100.50
Federal Grain 6%, 1949	98.50	100.00
McColl-Frontenac 6%, 1949	104.00	106.00
Simpson's Ltd. 6%, 1949	103.50	104.75

Metal Shares Lead Price Recession at Eastern Exchanges

MONTREAL, Dec. 16 (CP).—Metals fell sharply under selling pressure on Montreal Stock Exchange today. Heaviness of metal shares, attributed to an unsettled world silver market, depressed almost the entire list.

Heavy loser was Consolidated Smelting with a loss of 8 points, while International Nickel slipped more than 1 point.

In the distillery division, Seagrams tumbled a couple of points to a new low of 35, while "A" and "B" shares of Canadian Industrial lost fractions.

A bright spot was provided by Intercolonial Coal which jumped more than 5 points to a new high for a year or more of 45⅛.

TORONTO EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Dec. 16 (CP).—The Toronto industrial share market found the going heavy today, influenced by a lower New York board. International Nickel lost 2⅜ at 41⅛, Distillers-Seagrams eased 1½ to 35.

Consolidated Smelters firmed late in the proceedings, but was down 5 for the day.

Brazilian Traction at 9½ had a loss of 1-2. Ford "A" drifted down a half point and Canadian Pacific Railway lost ⅝.

Banks were steady; steels and constructions quiet, and utilities uneven.

Building Products	30⅝	31
B.C. Power "B"	4	5
Beath & Sons	2½	3
Biltmore Hats	28½	32
Bell Telephone	140½	141
Blue Ribbon	3½	5
Brazilian Traction	9⅜	9½
Brewing Corpn.	2⅛	2¼
Brewers & Distillers	1.25	1.30
Burt & Co.	37½	38½
Canada Bud	6⅜	6⅞
Canada Canners	5	5¼
Canada Cement	6⅛	6⅜
Canada Car & Foundry	6⅛	6⅜
Canada Malting	33	33⅜
Canada Dredge	40⅜	41¼
Canada Wire & Cable "A"	21	22
Canada Wire & Cable "B"	7½	..
Can. General Electric	..	170
Canadian Oils	13⅜	13⅞
Canadian Pacific	11	11⅛
Cockshutt Plow	7⅞	8
Consolidated Smelters	203	204
Cosmos Imp. Mills	19⅞	20
Consumers Gas	189	190
Dominion Stores	8⅞	9
Ford "A"	25¼	25⅞
Gypsum	6⅛	6⅜
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	64	64½
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Pfd.	53⅜	54⅝
Hamilton Bridge	4	4½
Hiram Walkers	31¼	32
Imperial Oil	20½	20⅝
Imperial Tobacco	13⅞	14
Intl. Nickel	41⅛	41⅜
Industrial Alcohol	9⅜	10⅛
Intl. Utilities "A"	3¼	3⅜
Intl. Utilities "B"	.35	.50
Lake of the Woods	14	14⅞
Laura Secord	63	65
Loblaw "A"	18⅜	18⅝
Loblaw "B"	17	17¼
Massey-Harris	5⅞	6
Montreal Power	31⅞	32
McColl-Frontenac	12⅜	12⅞
National Steel Car	13⅜	13⅞
Page Hersey	78½	..
Power Corpn.	10⅞	11
Shawinigan	19⅝	19⅞
Steel of Canada	53	53½
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	47¼	47½
Weston	14⅛	14⅜
Winnipeg Electric	2⅝	3
BANKS		
Bank of Canada	52	52½
Canadian Bank of Commerce	146	147
Dominion Bank	182½	185
Imperial Bank	193	..
Bank of Montreal	..	196
Bank of Nova Scotia	261	265
Royal Bank	161½	163
Bank of Toronto	215¼	

(C. M. Oliver & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
A.P. Grain	3½	5
Abitibi Power & Paper	120	135
B.A. Oils	15⅞	16
B.C. Power "A"	28½	29

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	141	142
Brazilian T. L. & P.	9½	9¾
B.A. Oil	16	16⅛
B.C. Power "A"	..	20
Canada Cement	6¼	6½
Canada Cement, Pfd.	59	60
Canadian Pacific	11	11⅛
Con. Mining & Smelting	203	206
Ford "A"	25¾	26
Gypsum Lime & Alab.	6¼	6½
Imperial Oil	20½	20⅝
Imperial Tobacco	14	..
Intl. Nickel	42⅜	42½
Intl. Petroleum	36	36½
McColl-Frontenac	12½	12⅝
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	98	99
Montreal Power, Com.	31½	32
Shawinigan W. & P.	19⅝	19⅞
Bralorne	5.50	5.55
Dome	41½	43
Lakeshore	54½	..
Noranda	43⅞	..
Pioneer Gold	10.00	10.05
Premier	1.75	1.80
Sherritt-Gordon	.96	.97
Sudbury Basin	3.05	..
Teck-Hughes	4.79	4.85
Ventures	1.62	1.65
Wright-Hargreaves	7.85	..
Bank of Montreal	161½	165
Royal Bank	..	196

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amn. Cynamid "B"	28⅛	28¾
Amn. Super	2⅛	2¼
Amn. Gas	36½	37
Associated Gas	0⅞	1
Brazilian	9⅜	9½
Cities Service	12⅞	15
Ford "A"	25	25¼
Ford of England	8⅜	8½
Hudson Bay	21⅛	21⅜
Humble Oil	59⅛	60
Intl. Pete	35½	35⅞
Imperial Oil	20⅛	20⅜
Newmont	71½	73
Pioneer	9½	9⅞
Standard Oil of Kentucky	21⅛	21⅜
Amn. Aluminum	84	85
United Gas	3	3⅛
United Power & Light	2⅞	2⅞
Hiram Walkers	31	31⅛
Niagara-Hudson	8⅜	8⅞
Distillers, England	23⅞	24
Gulf Oil	70⅛	71
Atlas Corpn.	12⅜	12⅝
Marconi	2	2⅛
Fisk	6⅛	6⅜
Creo. Pete	21⅝	21⅞
Cord	4⅞	5
Lakeshore	51½	52½
Teck-Hughes	4⅛	4⅞
Hecla	10⅜	10½
Wright-Hargreaves	7½	7⅜
Sunshine Mining	20⅛	20⅜

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (CP).—Vancouver wheat cash prices:

	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	87⅛	84⅝
No. 1 Northern	86⅝	84⅛
No. 2 Northern	84⅛	81⅛
No. 3 Northern	79⅛	75⅝
No. 4 Northern	77⅛	74⅛
No. 5 Wheat	68⅛	65⅛
No. 6 Wheat	60⅛	56⅝
Feed	48⅛	44⅝

Track, 86⅝.

Silver Markets

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP).—Bar silver weak, 1 cent lower than on Friday, December 13, at 59 3-4 cents.

AT LONDON

LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP).—Bar silver easy, 7-16 lower at 26d.

MINE AND OIL SHARES RECEDE

Nordon Drops Heavily—Golds and Base Metals Lose Ground

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (CP).—Nordon Oil was the feature issue of the Vancouver Stock Exchange today, closing with a net loss of 7 at 18. Mining issues were also weak with losses of 1 to 5 cents. Trading fell off with sales totaling only 158,651 shares.

Gold issues were dull with some heavy losses, Pioneer was down 5 at 9.75, Premier at 1.74 lost 4, Bralorne was off 10 closing at 5.40, Dentonia and Island both slipped 2 points, closing at 26 and 16 respectively. Other metals were nominally unchanged with slight losses recorded.

Ranchmen's after selling at 65 in the morning session closed at 57, up 5. Model lost 2 at 19, Mar Jon 1 at 12 and Mercury 1-2 cent at 13.

Base metals lost ground. Big Missouri was down 1 at 68, Pend Oreille dropped 2 to 95, Noble Five remained unchanged at 4 and B.C. Nickel was not traded in.

(Twigg & Co., Ltd.)

OILS

C. & E. Corpn.—A.M. sales: 600 at .75; 200 at 74.
Crow's Nest—P.M. sales: 1,000 at .40. P.M. sales: 500 at .40.
Freehold—P.M. sales: 1,000 at .08.
Mar Jon—A.M. sales: 400 at .13; 1,500 at .12.
Mercury—A.M. sales: 500 at .13¾.
Model—P.M. sales: 1,400 at .20.
Nordon—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .26; 1,000 at .24; 1,000 at .23½; 6,500 at .22; 3,000 at .23; 1,500 at .22½. P.M. sales: 4,000 at .21; 7,700 at .20; 1,000 at .20½; 3,000 at .19; 3,500 at .18½.
Pacalta—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .05½.
Ranchman's—A.M. sales: 400 at .57; 300 at .59; 300 at .62; 1,400 at .65; 400 at .60. P.M. sales: 500 at .60; 700 at .58.
Royalite—P.M. sales: 10 at 29.00.
Spooner—P.M. sales: 400 at .20.
Nordon—A.M. sales: 6,000 at .21; 3,000 at .20½; 500 at .21½.

MINES

B.C. Nickel—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .21; 100 at .22; 1,000 at .23. P.M. sales: 500 at .22; 500 at .21.
Beaver Silver—A.M. sales: 9,000 at .03⅝.
Big Missouri—A.M. sales: 400 at .70. P.M. sales: 350 at .70.
Bralorne—A.M. sales: 100 at 5.60; 625 at 5.55; 140 at 5.50. P.M. sales: 150 at 5.50; 100 at 5.40.
B.R. Cons.—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .03½.
B.R.X.—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .07½. P.M. sales: 300 at .07.
Cariboo Gold—A.M. sales: 1,450 at 1.20; 25 at 1.24. P.M. sales: 600 at 1.21; 200 at 1.20.
Dentonia—A.M. sales: 100 at .30; 1,000 at .29; 1,500 at .28½. P.M. sales: 900 at .28; 100 at .27; 500 at .27½.
Federal Gold—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .10¼; 3,000 at .09¾; 1,000 at .10. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .10; 3,000 at .10¼; 2,000 at .09¾.
Grandview—P.M. sales: 1,000 at .03¼.
Grange—A.M. sales: 5,000 at .01½.
Grull Wihksne—A.M. sales: 5,000 at .08½.
Hedley Amalgamated—P.M. sales: 1,000 at .25.
Island Mountain—A.M. sales: 700 at .98. P.M. sales: 200 at 1.00.
Kootenay Belle—A.M. sales: 500 at .45. P.M. sales: 500 at .45.
Meridian—P.M. sales: 500 at .12.
Minto—A.M. sales: 100 at .10; 100 at .10⅛. P.M. sales: 5,700 at .10; 2,100 at .09½; 50 at .09.
Morning Star—A.M. sales: 2,000 at .03¼.
Nicola—A.M. sales: 7,000 at .10½; 500 at .10; 1,000 at .10¾. P.M. sales: 500 at .10½.
Noble Five—A.M. sales: 4,000 at .04½.
Pend Oreille—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .95.
Pilot Gold—A.M. sales: 4,000 at .02. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .02.
Pioneer—A.M. sales: 85 at 9.90; 140 at 9.85; 60 at 9.80. P.M. sales: 100 at 9.75.
Premier—A.M. sales: 1,100 at 1.76. P.M. sales: 1,700 at 1.75; 100 at 1.74.
Relief Arlington—A.M. sales: 100 at .38.
Reno—A.M. sales: 200 at 1.00. P.M. sales: 1,600 at .98.
Sally—A.M. sales: 100 at .18.
Sheep Creek—A.M. sales: 600 at .70. P.M. sales: 500 at .69.
Standard Silver & Lead—A.M. sales: 200 at .47.
Taylor Bridge River—P.M. sales: 3,200 at .15.
Vidette—A.M. sales: 300 at .70.
Wayside—P.M. sales: 600 at .15.
Whitewater—P.M. sales: 1,000 at .06½.
Ymir Yankee Girl—500 at .50.

TO DRILL DEEPER AT NEW OIL WELL

Terminal No. 1 at Del Bonita Gives Spectacular Performance for While on Sunday

LETHBRIDGE, Dec. 16 (CP).—After a spectacular performance Sunday when the Terminal No. 1 well at Del Bonita sprayed oil over the landscape and later flowed into tankage for nearly twelve hours at the rate of about twenty barrels an hour, the well pinched back today to a production of about forty barrels a day, it was reported. Preparations are being made to drill deeper.

The well, with the strike at the 5,073-foot level, is located forty-five miles due south of Lethbridge. Los Angeles financiers financed the drilling. The Terminal well is just across the border from the Cutbank oil field in Montana.

London Stocks

LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP).—C.P.R., $11 1-8; Nickel, $42 7-8; British American Tobacco, £5 3-4; Imperial Tobacco, 151s 3d; Mining Trust, Limited, 6s 3d; Rand Mines, £8 (ex-dividend); Rhodesian Anglo-American, 11s 3d; Rhokana Corp., £5 1-4; Crown Springs, $13 5-8 (ex-dividend); Springs, 43s 1 1-2d (ex-dividend); East Geduld, £9 7-8 (ex-dividend); Rio Tintos, £19; Vickers, 20s.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £85 7-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £105 1-2; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £117 3-8.

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP).—Copper, quiet; electrolytic spot and future, 9.25; export, 8.70. Tin, steadier; spot and nearby, 49.87; iron, quiet; No. 2, f.o.b. Eastern Pennsylvania, 20.50; Buffalo, 19.50; Alabama, 15.50. Lead, steady; spot New York, 4.50 to 4.55; East St. Louis, 4.35. Zinc, dull; East St. Louis spot and future, 4.85. Aluminum, 19.00 to 22.00. Antimony, spot, 14.50 to 14.75. Quicksilver, 75.00 to 77.00. wolframite, 15.75 to 16.00.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Dec. 16 (CP).—Prices held unchanged on the produce section of Canadian Commodity Exchange today.

Butter, 25½.

Cheese, spot, Ontario white, 11.

Eggs, Ontario, "A" large, 42; "A" medium, 33; "A" pullets, 30.

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 5%, 1957	104.875	105.375
Belgium 6%, 1955	108.25	108.75
Bogota 8%, 1945	12.75	13.25
Denmark 5½%, 1955	104.25	104.75
French 7½%, 1941	175.75	176.25
German Gov't 7%, 1949	40.125	40.625
Italy 7%, 1951	64.75	65.25
Japan 6½%, 1954	99.125	99.625
Minas Geraes 6½%, 1959	15.625	16.125
Norway 6%, 1944	105.875	106.375
Queensland 6%, 1947	108.25	108.75
Rome 6½%, 1952	53.25	53.75

All prices in New York.

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Retail Markets

Fruits

Bananas ...... lb., .10; dozen, .35 to		.40
Grapefruit— California ..... 6, 5, 4 and 3 for		.25
Lemons— California ... dozen, .25, .30 and		.40
Oranges— Navels and Valencias, doz., .25, .30, .45 and		.60
Pineapples	.35 and	.40
Grapes— Emperor		.15
Almirias		.20
Pears, dozen	.30 to	.45
Apples— Cooking	7 lbs. for	.25
Table	3 and 4 lbs. for	.25
Calavos, small, each .. .25, .30 and		.40
Pomegranates, each		.10
Persimmons, dozen		.60
Cranberries, per lb.	.29 to	.33

Vegetables

Beets, per bunch	3 for	.05
Cauliflower, each	.10 and	.20
Cucumbers	.10	.15
Celery	.15 and	.20
Parsley, bun.		.05
Peas, lb.		.30
Lettuce	.05 to	.10
Green Peppers, lb.		.30
Spinach		.05
Tomatoes— Local Hothouse, lb. ... .15, .20 and		.25
Root— Beets, lb		.02
Carrots	2 bunches for	.05
Green Onions	2 for	.05
Onions, lb.		.02½
Turnips, lb.		.02½
Potatoes— Local	12 lbs. for	.25
Sweet	5 lbs. for	.25
Kamloops	11 lbs. for	.25
Ashcroft	10 lbs. for	.25

Cheese

English Stilton, lb.	.85
Imported Roquefort, lb.	.73
Finest Ontario, mild, lb.	.20
Old Ontario, lb.	.30
Medium Ontario, lb.	.25
Gorgonzola, lb.	.60
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.40
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb.	.35
Gouda Cheese, lb.	.45
Eagle Brand Camembert, lb.	.65
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.40
Kraft, lb.	.32
Canadian Stilton, lb.	.30

Fish

Smoked Red Salmon		.35
Soles, 2 lbs.		.25
Red Salmon, lb.		.30
Local Cured Black Cod		.20
Large Eastern Kippers, lb.		.20
Local Kippers, 2 lbs.		.25
Fresh Cod		.15
Ladysmith Oysters, half pint		.25
Salt Cod		.25
Digby Chix, box		.25
Haddies, lb.	.20 to	.25
Boneless Herring		.30
Smoked Cod	.20 and	.25
Haddie Fillets	.18 to	.22
Fresh Smelts		.20
Local Bloaters, 2 lbs.		.25
Sooke Shrimps, per lb.		.29

Wholesale Poultry

Chicken, per lb.	.27 to	.29
Heavy Fowl, per lb.		.18
Light Fowl, per lb.		.15
Grade A, per lb.		.32
Grade B, per lb.		.30
Grade C, per lb.		.28
Geese, per lb.		.22

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Eggs— Grade A, large, doz.	.39
Grade A, medium, doz.	.37
Grade A, pullet, doz.	.35

Butter

Brookfield, lb.	.33
Shamrock, lb.	.33
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.34
Handypats, lb.	.35
Saltspring Island, lb.	.34
Our Own Brand, lb.	.33
Comox, lb.	.34
Fraser Valley, lb.	.33

Beef

Prime Rib Beef		.25
Loin Roast		.30
Pot Roast	.15 to	.18
T-Bone Roast	.25 to	.35
Round Steak	.23 to	.25
Rump Roast	.23 to	.25
Boiling Beef		.10
Hamburg Steak		.12½
Stew Beef (boneless)		.15

Lamb

Shoulder	.18

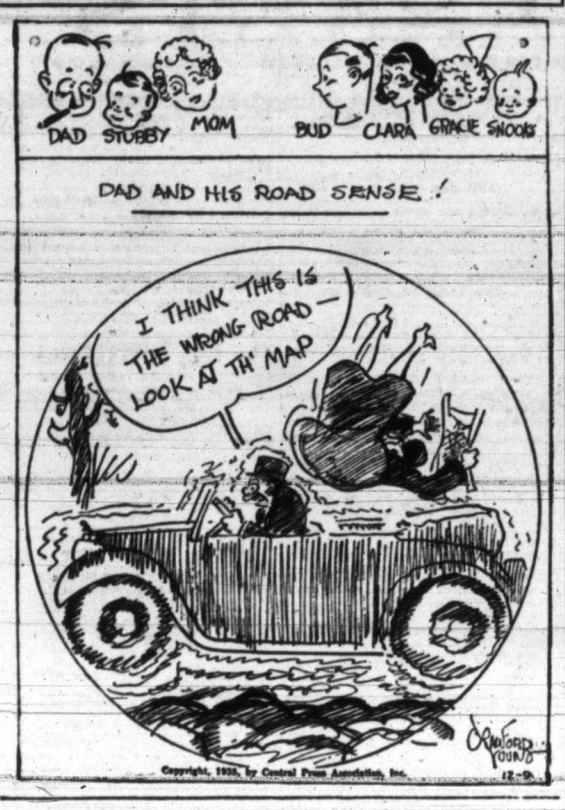
Pork

Leg	.28
Loins	.30
Shoulder	.20

LONDON, Dec. 16.—(AP).—Closing: Copper, standard, spot, £34 12s 6d; future, £35 2s 6d; electrolytic, spot, £39; future, £39 10s. Tin, spot, £221; future, £210 5s. Lead, spot and future, £16 15s. Zinc, spot, £14 17s 6d; future, £15.

TOONERVILLE FOLKS

THE TUTTS - - - By Crawford Young



How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

O TEMPORA, O MORES!

Such, thousands of years ago, was the plaintive protest of the critical, patriotic Roman, viewing the decadence of national spirit and character in the far-flung empire.

The shaft was especially directed at the changes which had taken place since the good days of yesteryear, which, like all their forbears and all their carriers-on, were destined to be beyond recall.

This expression of regret, which in one form or another has been evoked by each succeeding generation since the advent of man, at the passing of the old and its supplanting by new (and therefore bad) customs and attitudes is of classic origin.

We have it from Cicero's work, "In Catilinam," I, i, 2.

Nobody seemed to take much notice of Green. He tried to get in a word now and then, but somebody with a stronger voice always took command of the conversation.

At last the talk turned on the subject of dogs, and Green felt sure that his chance would come, for he owned a dog of which he was proud.

"There are some dogs," remarked Robinson, "that have more intelligence than their masters."

"That's right," said Green. "I've got one like that."

Jane Dixon Says:

THE EXCHANGE OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS IS NOT A MATTER OF ETIQUETTE, BUT SHOULD BE A TRIBUTE OF THE HEART

Another round-up, and we're going good.

Men are interested in our problems, as well as women.

We're hitting on all cylinders—dealing with all ages and conditions of human beings.

All the way from the lonely father to the disgruntled schoolgirl.

If you don't believe life is a merry-go-round, come and take over my typewriter for a week. On it try to untangle the snarls that life presents.

You'll forgive us then, me and my typewriter, if occasionally we seem to rattle.

Ethel D.: Tell your grandmother that you are going out for a walk, not for "fellows." Don't tell her in anger. Explain it to her, as you have to me. If she fails to understand, remember her age and close your ears. Resentment only aggravates the situation. Don't quarrel. Go on your way and keep smiling.

Doubtful: If you feel you should recognize the favor the man has done for you in a material way, give him a present. But why wait until Christmas? Yuletide is a time for exchange of gifts among family, loved ones and close friends. Such exchange is not a matter of etiquette. It is, or rather it should be, a tribute of the heart, a materialization of thanksgiving for love and for friendship.

Student: The book, "City Editor," was written by Stanley Walker, former city editor of The New York Herald-Tribune, now an associate editor of the magazine, New Yorker. I know of no book dealing exclusively with newspaper women, but one will be on the market shortly. The author is Ishbel Ross, one of the best newspaper women in circulation.

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING

B.M.D.: You're getting yourself in a dither about nothing, my dear. Since you like both boys equally, you love neither, so I'd take a friendly kiss as a gesture and bear down on any gesture that bordered on emotionalism or heavy sentiment. There are kisses and kisses. I've had kisses and given them to well-loved friends in the presence of my husband, whom I adore. It is how you kiss or are kissed, not whom you kiss, that tells the story.

Mrs. M.R.: I am a student of human relations, not of planets. I have tremendous respect, however, for planetary wisdom, and advise you to search your paper for the one who knows this subject better than I.

Mrs M.J.D.: It is contrary to the policy of this column to supply names of its correspondents. You are a widow and in your forties. You want to "get in touch" with my pet constitutional bachelor. Usually rules and regulations bow me down. This is one time I welcome them. I'm saving you trouble, and my bachelor, too. If you cannot escape from loneliness where you are, there is no escape. Every human being is interesting and can be interested. Look around you. If you are not interesting to or interested in your friends, there's little hope of success with strangers.

Young Mother in Sydney: Go to the court and take out a peace warrant to protect you from the man who has treated you so shamefully. Protect yourself and the child he has abandoned. You think you love him, but you don't. You fear him. Show strength. Be a real woman and a helpful mother. Cast this person, who masquerades as a man, out of your life. There is still time for you to swim, but you will sink if you cling to a rotten spar.

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TODDY — *Change of Tune* — By George Marcoux

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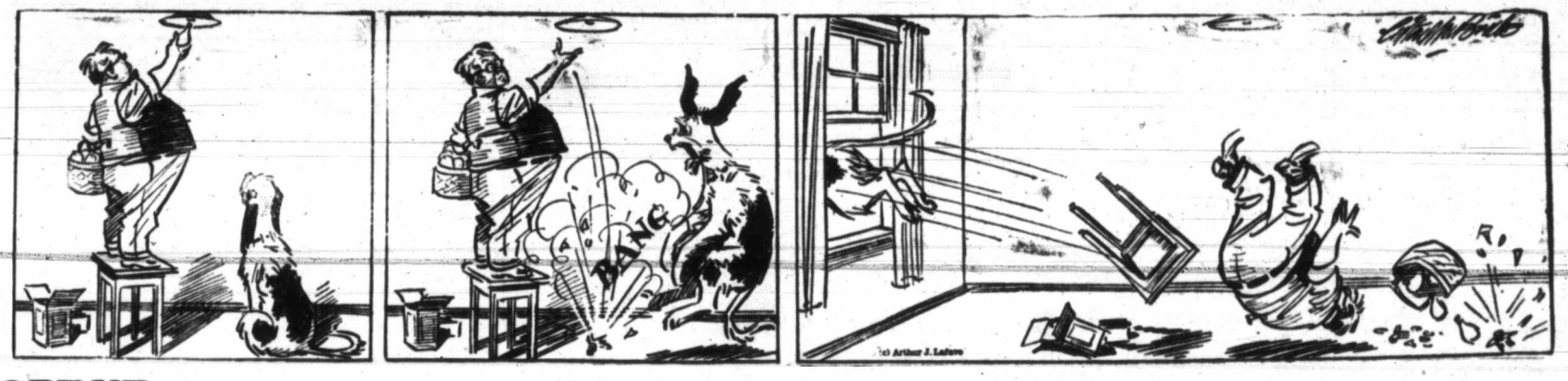

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2 DEATHS

KEAST—At Arlington, Wash., December 12, Bertha Keast, daughter of the late Arthur and Catherine Keast, born in Victoria. She leaves to mourn her loss two sisters, Ada, of Victoria, and Barbara, of Seattle, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Keast, Lake Cowichan. Burial took place in Seattle on Monday, December 16.

HANSEN—On December 14, 1935, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away in her eighty-fifth year, Karen Louise Hansen, of 228 Irving Road. Born in Norway, the late Mrs. Hansen came to Victoria, where she had been a resident for the past forty-six years. She leaves to survive two sons, Arthur J., in Victoria, and Charles A., in Vancouver.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., today (Tuesday, December 17), at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. Edwin Bracher will officiate and interment will be in the family plot in the Ross Bay Cemetery.

MULCAHY—On Monday morning, December 16, at the family residence, 1007 Esquimalt Road, Major Andrew Mulcahy, in his seventy-sixth year. Born in Dublin, Ireland, and a resident of this city for the past forty-eight years. He is survived by his widow, at home; six sons and one daughter, R. L. and Miss Kathleen Mulcahy, at the family residence; P. J., W. A. and A. M., of this city; O. R., of Duluth, Minn., and A. J., in Whaletown, B.C.; also eleven grandchildren.

The remains are resting at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., and Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday morning, December 18, at 10 o'clock, in the Church of Our Lady Queen of Peace, Old Esquimalt Road, by Father A. B. Wood.

HAYNES—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Julia Haynes, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 12, took place yesterday afternoon, at 2:30, from the Thomson Funeral Home, Rev. J. B. Rowell conducting the very impressive service in the presence of many friends of the late Mrs. Haynes, who had been a resident of Victoria for over forty years. The casket was covered with beautiful floral offerings. The hymns sung by the congregation were "What Shall I Do to Be Saved?" and "Washed In the Blood of the Lamb"; a solo was sung by Mrs. J. B. Rowell, "Shadows," after which the cortege proceeded to the Royal Oak Burial Park, where the remains were laid at rest in the family plot. The following were pallbearers: F. W. Sawyer, J. Thomson, H. Hitchman, G. A. Hearn, W. Gallaway and A. Inrig.

SYKES—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Sunday morning, December 15, Albert Sykes, aged seventy-eight years, of 3114 Qu'Appelle Street, Saanich. The late Mr. Sykes was born in England and had been a resident of this province for the past twelve years and for many years a resident of Calgary, Alta. He is mourned by his widow; also a daughter, Mrs. Alexander Playfair, at the family residence; a daughter, Mrs. W. Morris, and son, Joseph Sykes, of Calgary, Alta., and a daughter, Miss Edith, and son, Frank, in Vancouver, B.C.; one son, Jack, in New York, and two daughters in England. He was a member of Burnside Bowling Club and well known among the bowlers of this city.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. O. L. Jull will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

POMEROY—On December 15, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Pomeroy, aged seventy years. Born in London, England, and a resident of Victoria for the last thirty-five years, late residence 1177 Newport Avenue, Oak Bay. Deceased was a member of Queen City Chapter, Eastern Star, and a member of the Daughters and Maids of England. She is survived by four daughters and four sons, Mrs. A. H. Budd, of Petaluma, Cal.; Mrs. W. H. McGill, of San Francisco, Cal.; Mrs. L. P. Hutchinson and Mrs. C. F. Hutchinson, of Victoria; Charles W. Pomeroy and Wilfred A. Pomeroy, of Victoria; Stanley C. Pomeroy, of Oakland, Cal., and Alfred J. Pomeroy, of Prince George, B.C.; fourteen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday, December 18, at 2:30 o'clock, at Carter's Funeral Home. Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle will officiate. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

5 IN MEMORIAM

HARRIS—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Henry Harris, who passed away December 17, 1929.

We shall see you again
When the gloom of the night
Forever has vanished away;
We shall stand by your side
In the glory and light
Of a beautiful shadowless day.
There is hope to the soul that lives,
And the faith that stands supreme.
He is waiting for us, the one we loved,
With only a veil between.

—Inserted by his loving wife, son and daughter, Cal and Dorothy.

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8 MONUMENTAL WORKS

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10 COMING EVENTS

AN OLD-TIME DANCE IN AID OF THE Saanich Welfare, C.C.F. Hall, Mount Tolmie, Wednesday, December 18, 8:30-12:30; 25c. Refreshments. Stewart's Old-Timers; Don Galey, M.C. Help fill the hampers.

A BEGINNERS' CLASS IN CANADIAN old-time dancing, Lake Hill Community Centre, Wednesday, December 18, 8 till 11; 25c. Learn real dancing.

AT LUXTON, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18. Canadian old-time dance, 9 till 1. Refreshments. Admission 25c.

A BIG DANCE, C.C.F. HALL, TUESDAY, 17th, 9 till 1. Hal Price with latest hits. Tombola and refreshments; 25c.

BIG CHRISTMAS TOMBOLA DANCE AT Metchosin Hall, Wednesday, December 18. Tombola, drawing for turkeys, hams, etc. Refreshments. Admission 35c. Bill Fletcher's 4-piece orchestra. Watch for our New Year's Eve frolic. Metchosin Sports Club. Come here for a good time. When it's Sports Club it's good.

BURNSIDE LAWN BOWLING CLUB—Five hundred drive for turkey and other prizes, Hampton Hall, Friday, 20th. 8 p.m.: 25c.

COLWOOD HALL, FRIDAY, 20TH; Al. Reynolds' band. Turkeys, novelties, supper. Wilfert's dance.

CRYSTAL GARDEN DANCE, EVERY Saturday night, 9 to 12. Admission 35c.

DON'T FORGET VARSITY BALL, JANUARY 3, at Empress Hotel. Len Acres' ten-piece orchestra. Supper. Tickets $1.50.

DINE AND DANCE AT PEKIN CAFE, Gov't St., every Sat. at 9 p.m.; orchestra; no cover charge; come up and Pekin.

ESQUIMALT O.E.S. BUILDING FUND will hold a poultry court whist drive in the Parish Hall, Esquimalt, Tuesday, December 17. Admission 35c. Refreshments. Tombolas and other prizes.

FOR A PLEASANT AND ENJOYABLE Old Times dance, you can't do better than attend St. Saviour's Auxiliary dance on Tuesday, December 17, 8 p.m. 25 cents. Refreshments. Cars No. 4 or 5 to Henry Street.

LUXTON, FRIDAY NIGHT—HERE'S THE announcement we promised: The once-a-year four-star entertainment. 1. The annual old-timers' basketball game between the Pops and Grandads of Luxton and Colwood; a scream. 2. A de luxe old-time and modern dance. 3. The original Jones Boys radio orchestra for the above. 4. Special intermission tap dancing; also a scoop, introducing for the first time in British Columbia, "The Radio Guitar." Game at 8:00, dance at 9:00. Admission 25 cents.

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POULTRY SHOW THIS WEEK, WEDNESDAY to Saturday, 831 Yates. 10c admission. Open till 9 p.m.

SIX TURKEY PRIZES AT THE PARTNER whist, Campbell Bldg., Friday, December 20, 8:30. Free tombola. Admission 25c.

2ND ANNUAL BENEFIT DANCE, C.C.F. Hall, Fort Street, Thursday, December 19; novelties and prizes; Droughton's Rhythm; dancing 9 to ?; 35c.

500 TURKEY DRIVE, ST. MARK'S Hall, Cloverdale, Wednesday, December 18, at 8 p.m. Admission 25c.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

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WANTED — A FEW MEN TO LEARN radio, television, talking pictures or sound engineering. Experimental work at home and finishing training in our studios. Apply Box 9,900, Colonist.

WANTED—HIGH SCHOOL BOY, ABOUT seventeen, to work in business office two hours daily after school, and five hours Saturday. Wages $5.00 per week. Apply with qualifications to Box 341, Colonist.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL, FOR delivery. Gardner, 812 Catherine St.

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5-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW
Nicely situated on paved street, in quiet locality of James Bay district, within easy walk of Postoffice. Has all modern conveniences; light polished floors; cosy breakfast nook; cement basement, furnace, set wash tubs; garage, etc., and all for only
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REAL SNAP—2½ ACRES, 5-ROOM house; water, light, phone; 35 bearing fruit trees, beautiful shrubs, 4 greenhouses; 4 miles out; only $3,000. Holmes, Clovelly, R.M.D. 3, Victoria.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SARAH SUSETTE FINLAYSON, Late of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Sarah Susette Finlayson, who died on or about the 29th day of September, 1935, at Victoria, B.C., are required to send by post prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned, solicitor for Ralph Harris Wilson, the executor of the will of the said deceased, their names and addresses, and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 10th day of January, 1936, the said Ralph Harris Wilson will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have had notice, and that the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 9th day of December, 1935.

JOHN L. CLAY,
803-4 Bank of Toronto Bldg.,
Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitor for the Executor.

WELLINGTON COLLIERY RAILWAY COMPANY

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Wellington Colliery Railway Company will be held at the office of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited, Esplanade, Nanaimo, B.C., on Monday the sixth day of January, 1936, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of directors of said company for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business connected with and incidental to the undertaking of the Railway Company that may be dealt with at the annual general meeting of its shareholders.

Dated at Nanaimo, B.C., this 12th day of December, 1935.

JOHN H. STEVENS,
Secretary of the Wellington Colliery Railway Company.

TENDERS FOR BUILDING GRANDSTAND AT MACDONALD PARK

SEALED tenders for the building of a grandstand in Macdonald Park will be received at Room 12, City Hall, until 11 A.M. on Friday, December 20, 1935. Tenders must be addressed to the Purchasing Agent and Building Inspector, and marked "Tender on Macdonald Park Grandstand." Plans and specifications may be seen after 12 o'clock noon on Monday, December 16, at the Building Department Office.

At the same time separate tenders will be received on the plumbing, electric wiring and exterior painting of the building.

A marked cheque for 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
City Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, December 14, 1935.

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Beautiful Bungalow, Gorge District
This is undoubtedly the very best built four-room modern bungalow we have ever inspected in this popular district. With 8-ft. basement, fully cemented, with excellent furnace and stationary wash tubs. This home is just like new and has features too numerous to mention. Cost over $3,000 to build. No one can possibly build close to you. Garden, fruit trees. Saanich taxes. Owner says sacrifice for only $2300.
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A Brand New Stucco Bungalow in Oak Bay
Contains six rooms, all large and all beautifully decorated. Hardwood floors in main rooms, with ample closet space in the bedrooms. Electric fixtures, inlaid linoleums in kitchen and bathroom, tiled sink in a very modern kitchen. Price also includes blinds. Full cement basement, space for the garage partitioned off. Situated on a fine boulevarded street and near the sea. Local improvement taxes are all paid up. The price is only $3150
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You have here the brightest, cosiest house imaginable, and the satisfaction that you are securing the best that money can buy at this figure $3150
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Just at entrance to Uplands, a lovely modern stucco home of seven rooms, extra fine living-room, dining-room, hall. French doors, hardwood floors, all kinds of cupboards. Dutch kitchen, two fine bedrooms and three-piece bathroom on ground floor; two bedrooms up. Garage, furnace in full cement basement, lined with V joint. High location, with excellent view. This is one of the better built homes, among new homes. Price only, $4,450, which is much below actual value.
Lovely Country Residence for sale, or will accept four or five-room bungalow, Saanich or Oak Bay, as part payment. There is a new five-room stucco bungalow, garage, 2¾ acres, ½ acre in garden, balance nicely timbered, high location Island Highway, secluded. A very attractive property.
EXCHANGE—Clear title, 21 acres, close to Qualicum Beach, for house, City, Saanich or Oak Bay.
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Five-room bungalow, and stairway to two attic rooms; modern plumbing; large living-room with open fireplace; full basement; redecorated; two large lots with fruit trees and ornamental shrubs; garage and workshop suitable for business purposes. This property is sound; on main bus line and bordering the city limits; low taxes. MUST BE SOLD, hence the give-away price of $1250
On Terms
SEAFRONT
TWO FINE LOTS, studded with small clumps of shade trees, and underbrush cleared. Near to car line. (For both.) $500
ROYAL OAK
ONE ACRE—6 rooms and bathroom; garage and chicken house. Very picturesque situation. Nicely laid out garden. Sufficient fruit for own use. Price $1650
CEDAR HILL
EIGHT ACRES—Rich land, practically all cleared; modern stucco bungalow of 4 rooms; basement, and garage. Set in delightful grove of oaks. Electric light and city water; 5 miles from city. Taxes only $50. Price $3150
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82 ACRES—Few acres cleared. Good water. On good road, 12 miles out. Price $950
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SPECIAL BUY, OAK BAY
Stucco bungalow with six rooms, all on one floor (no attic), full basement, furnace. Built about seven years; fine ready-made garden, oak and ornamental trees. Really a most attractive place on a very good street—quiet and secluded. Furniture can be bought at a valuation. Valued at $3500
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Pretty stucco bungalow, situated on high ground, good views. Six rooms, garage, quarter-acre lot. Price $2750
Cosy four-roomed stucco bungalow—the rooms are large, all modern conveniences, fine high basement, garage. Large lot, good soil. Taxes $23.00. Not far from Quadra Street. Price $1950
TEN MILE POINT
Beautiful building site on seafront. Three-quarter-acre plot, at least half of it good soil. Price reduced to $900
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Neat five-roomed cottage, bathroom, and in good shape, within walking distance. Excellent buy; discount for cash. Price $850
BEST BUY IN HILLSIDE
Real good modern five-roomed bungalow in first-class shape, inside and out; basement, furnace and all conveniences $2100
GORGE BARGAIN
Excellent modern bungalow, beautiful condition inside and out; has all conveniences. Full basement, furnace, tubs, open fireplace; gas, etc. Fine garden, fruit trees and berries. Large double lot $2100
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FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW
FIVE ROOMS. PRICE $2000
Fully modern, high location, close to street car. Living-room with open fireplace; dining-room, two bedrooms and kitchen. Full-sized cement basement, with furnace, laundry tubs. Garage. Good terms.
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Brand new stucco bungalow with four attractive rooms and modern to a degree. Large open fireplace, Pembroke bath and cute little kitchen with pantry in separate nook. This is located on a hilltop, amongst the pines, with healthy, sunny aspect. Saanich taxes, but quite close in. Price $1800
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Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

TODAY

11:30 a.m.—The fifth in the new series of "Treasure Trails in Art" will be presented by the "School of the Air." In a dramatization entitled "Color Around Us Everywhere," it will be shown how magnificent the sun is to the world of color.—KOL, KVI.

1 p.m.—John Alden Carpenter's "Quintette for Piano and Strings" will be presented by the Cleveland String Quartette, accompanied by piano, during this Columbia broadcast.—KOL, KVI.

5:30 p.m.—The aria "Di Provenza" from Verdi's opera "La Traviata" will be featured by Lawrence Tibbett, noted baritone, during his recital with Don Voorhees' Orchestra. Tibbett will also sing "Rogue Song" by Stothart; the Welsh hymn, "All Through the Night"; Tschaikovsky's "Pourquoi?"; "Dvorak's "Goin' Home," and 'Gitana" by Longas.—KOL, KVI, KSL.

7 p.m.—A medley of hits by Vincent Youmans, noted contemporary composer; selections from DeKoven's "Robin Hood"; overture to Thomas' "Mignon," and two of his own works, "Waltz" from "Desert Song" and "Once Around the Clock," will be played by Sigmund Romberg and his orchestra during this N.B.C. feature.—KOMO.

7:45 p.m.—"A Matter of Timing" is the title of the Night Editor story to be presented by Hal Burdick.—KOMO.

8:30 p.m.—Walter O'Keefe and his group of Thespians, including Louis Sorin, Jack O'Keefe, Ted Husing and Alice Frost, will perform once more for the "Columbia Caravan," with the musical assistance of Deane Janis, "Pee Wee" Hunt, Kenny Sargent and Glen Gray's Orchestra.—KOL, KVI, KSL.

9 p.m.—The true story of a wedding on the banks of a creek in Death Valley will be told by the Old Ranger under the title of "Creek Wedding."—KOMO.

9 p.m.—Fred Waring, his Pennsylvanians and "Snoony" in a full hour presentation of dancing tunes and novelty selections.—KOL, KVI.

10:15 p.m.—George Jessel, comedian, singer and vaudeville entertainer, will match puns and quips with Ben Bernie, when the old maestro and his orchestra appears in this weekly half-hour programme.—KOMO.

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 keys)
7:45 a.m.—Musical Grab Bag.
8:00 a.m.—Dr. Clem Davies.
8:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9:00 a.m.—Let's Go Places With Eric Marshall.
9:15 a.m.—Morning Moods.
9:30 a.m.—Financial Report.
9:35 a.m.—Golden Melodies.
10:00 a.m.—Dr. Clem Davies.
10:15 a.m.—Health Talks.
10:30 a.m.—Art Farey at the Piano.
11:00 a.m.—Modern Rhythm.
11:30 a.m.—Unforgotten Melodies.
12:00 noon—Today's Tempo.
12:15 p.m.—World Bookman: "Are Fairies Always Little?"
12:20 p.m.—Ten Tuneful Minutes.
12:30 p.m.—CFCT World Flashes.
12:45 p.m.—Midday Musicale.
1:00 p.m.—Daily Monitor.
5:30 p.m.—Birthday Party.
6:00 p.m.—Piano Moods, Miss Phillmore.
6:15 p.m.—Unemployed Children's Christmas Programme.
6:30 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner.
6:40 p.m.—Song Parade.
7:00 p.m.—Sundown.
7:15 p.m.—Dr. W. E. Harper, "The Earth a Magnet."
7:30 p.m.—British-Israel.
7:45 p.m.—After Sundown.
8:00 p.m.—Gyro Programme.
9:45 p.m.—Colonist News.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (600 keys)
2:15 p.m.—Bill Browne's Brevities.
4:00 p.m.—Kelly Piano Programme.
5:15 p.m.—Cariboo Cowboys.
5:45 p.m.—Santa Claus.
6:00 p.m.—Dinner Hour.
6:15 p.m.—News Flashes.
6:30 p.m.—British-Israel Lecture.
7:00 p.m.—Self Help.
7:15 p.m.—Voice of the Commonwealth.
7:30 p.m.—Lie Leeson, Hawaiian.
7:45 p.m.—Ozzie Ross, songs.
8:00 p.m.—Laddie Watkis, Buddy Smith.
8:30 p.m.—June Day and Billy Browne.
9:00 p.m.—Disabled Veterans' Fund.
9:30 p.m.—Cascade Mountaineers.
10:15 p.m.—Stan Inglis' Orchestra.
10:45 p.m.—News.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (1,010 keys)
6:15 p.m.—Famous Players' Programme.
6:30 p.m.—Newspaper of the Air.
7:00 p.m.—Mr. Know-All.

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 keys)
5:00 p.m.—B.C. Safety League.
5:15 p.m.—Dance Cycle.
5:30 p.m.—See C.R.C. Network.

CKMO, Vancouver, B.C. (1,410 keys)
2:00 p.m.—Works of Old Masters.
4:30 p.m.—Tea Time, Doris and Reg.
6:00 p.m.—British Empire Programme.
7:00 p.m.—Post Office Clock.
7:01 p.m.—Investment Talk.
7:45 p.m.—Julie and Jack.
8:00 p.m.—Ernie Buchanan, pianist.
8:15 p.m.—Sports Review.

C.R.C. NETWORK
5:30 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
5:30 p.m.—Jazz Nocturne, New York (B.C. 5:45).
6:00 p.m.—No Mournful Numbers, Winnipeg.
6:30 p.m.—This Is Paris, soloists and orchestra, director, Andre Durieux, Montreal to M.B.S.
7:00 p.m.—By Moonlight, soloists and orchestra, Edmonton.
7:30 p.m.—Improving Your Broadcast Reception, talk, Toronto.
7:45 p.m.—Canadian Press News.
8:00 p.m.—Time Signal.
8:00 p.m.—Across the Border (C.B.S., New York).
8:30 p.m.—Melody Moods, director, Ina McCartney, Vancouver (Western Network).
9:00 p.m.—Just S'posin', drama, director, W. McQuillan, Winnipeg (Western Network).
9:30 p.m.—Maui Islanders, Hawaiians, Edmonton (Mountain Network).
9:45 p.m.—Pipes of Pan, Vancouver Network).
10:00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
10:15 p.m.—Your Province and Dominions, talk, R. W. Diamond, Trail (B.C. Network).
10:30 p.m.—Gypsy Fiddler, Chilliwack (B.C. Network).
10:45 p.m.—Starlight.

N.B.C. NETWORK
KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO-KJR
9:00 a.m.—Simpson Boys of Sprucehead Bay, sketch.
9:15 a.m.—Merrie Macs, Cheri McKay; male trio.
9:30 a.m.—You Name It, Robert Olsen, Don Stuart, Ned Tollinger, Ransom Sherman; Orchestra.
10:00 a.m.—Martha Meade and Play.
10:15 a.m.—Edna Fischer, pianist.
10:30 a.m.—Ida Bailey Allen's Kitchen.
10:45 a.m.—Rochester Civic Orchestra.
11:15 a.m.—Words and Music.
11:30 a.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour.
12:15 p.m.—Ma Perkins, dramatic.
12:30 p.m.—Vic and Sade, household comedy.
12:45 p.m.—The O'Neils, dramatic.
1:00 p.m.—Betty and Bob, dramatic.
1:15 p.m.—Gene Arnold and Ranch Boys.
1:30 p.m.—Concert Hour, director, Cesare Sodero.
2:00 p.m.—American Medical Association.
2:30 p.m.—James Wilkinson, baritone.
2:45 p.m.—Clara, Lou and Em, comedy.
3:00 p.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.
4:00 p.m.—Easy Aces, comedy.
4:15 p.m.—Norsemen Quartette.
4:30 p.m.—Jackie Heller, tenor.
4:45 p.m.—Langendorf Pictorial, Rush Hughes.
5:00 p.m.—Jose Ramirez and Argentines.
5:15 p.m.—Cliff Nazarro, tenor.
5:30 p.m.—Captain Dobbs, Retired; vocalist (KOMO-KGW, 5:45).
6:00 p.m.—N.T.G. and His Girls, Nils T. Granlund, M.C.; Harry Salter's Orchestra.
6:30 p.m.—Jumbo, serial, from Hippodrome, Donald Novis, Jimmy Durante, director, Billy Rose.
7:00 p.m.—Studio Party, Sigmund Romberg, Deems Taylor, Helen Marshall and Morton Bowe.
7:30 p.m.—Night Editor, Hal Burdick.
7:45 p.m.—Lee S. Roberts, Old Memory Box.
8:00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:15 p.m.—Lum and Abner, comedy.
8:30 p.m.—Leo Reisman's Orchestra, Phil Duey, Johnny, Eton Boys.
9:00 p.m.—Death Valley Days, Old Ranger, narrator.
9:30 p.m.—To be announced.
10:00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10:15 p.m.—Ben Bernie's Orchestra and All the Lads.
10:30 p.m.—Jimmie Grier's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Al Lyon's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Curfew, organ (KPO).
11:30 p.m.—Griff Williams' Orchestra.

C.B.S.-DON LEE NETWORK
KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL
8:30 a.m.—Ozark Mountaineers (KOL).
8:45 a.m.—Just Plain Bill, sketch.
9:00 a.m.—Voice of Experience, human problems.
9:15 a.m.—Betty Crocker, recipes (Don Lee).
9:30 a.m.—Story of Mary Marlin, dramatic.
9:45 a.m.—Five Star Jones, dramatic.
10:00 a.m.—George Hall's Orchestra.
10:45 a.m.—The Newlyweds, play (Don Lee).
11:00 a.m.—Between the Bookends, Ted Malone.
11:30 a.m.—School of the Air: Art—"Color Around Us Everywhere."
12:30 p.m.—Town Topics, Lois Long, Orchestra (KVI).
1:00 p.m.—Walden String Quartette (KOL, 1:15).
1:30 p.m.—Science Service Series (KVI).
1:45 p.m.—Three Little Words, girls' vocal (KOL).
2:00 p.m.—Happy-Go-Lucky Hour, variety (Don Lee).
3:00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies (Don Lee).
3:30 p.m.—Seth Grainer, concert pianist (KOL).
4:00 p.m.—Melodies of Manhattan (KOL).
4:15 p.m.—Eleana Moneak Ensemble (KOL).
4:45 p.m.—Correct English (Don Lee).
5:00 p.m.—The Harmonettes.
5:15 p.m.—Edith Karen, songs (KOIN).
5:30 p.m.—Lawrence Tibbett, baritone. Don Voorhees' Orchestra.
6:00 p.m.—Trails of Yankee Trade (Don Lee).
6:15 p.m.—Ann Leaf (Don Lee).
6:30 p.m.—Country Church of Hollywood (Don Lee) (KVI, 6:45).
7:00 p.m.—Sterling Young's Orchestra (Don Lee).
7:30 p.m.—The March of Time.
8:00 p.m.—Myrt and Marge, serial.
8:30 p.m.—Caravan, Walter O'Keefe, Deane Janis, Glen Gray's Casa Loma Orchestra.
9:00 p.m.—Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians' Orchestra.
10:20 p.m.—Eddie Oliver's Orchestra (Don Lee).
10:30 p.m.—Larry Lee's Orchestra (Don Lee).
10:45 p.m.—Sterling Young Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:00 p.m.—Hal Grayson's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:15 p.m.—Eddie Oliver's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:30 p.m.—Les Hite's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:45 p.m.—Smith Ballew's Orchestra (Don Lee).

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

A CATHEDRAL SERMON

Sir,—In reference to the letter entitled "A Cathedral Sermon" in your today's issue.

The poet-laureate, Alfred Tennyson, in his poem, "Maud," wrote as follows:

"But the churchmen fain would
kill their church
As the churches have kill'd
their Christ."

At the same time the majority of British-Israel teachers have been weighed in the balance and are found wanting (Daniel, v, 27). The Very Reverend Dean, metaphorically speaking, used "gas" in connection with his attack. It should not have been necessary to him.

A. J. ORCHARD.
Glyn Road, Saanich, B.C., December 12, 1935.

BANKS AND CREDIT

Sir,—Between Douglas and Dodds, Owen L. Jull and others, I am sadly mixed. A short time ago in arguing with you that bankers did not create credit out of thin air, Mr. Jull writes: "Quite true; and it is against this real wealth (goods) that credit is issued." Now it follows that goods are the security for the credit.

In your issue of Friday the 13th inst., Mr. Jull writes: "If for any reason the banks refuse to monetize the community's ability and willness to produce and consume." Are banks supposed to issue production loans and then issue further loans to destroy (consume) the security?

W. HALL.
R.R. I, Victoria, B.C., Dec. 13, 1935.

UNEMPLOYED CHRISTMAS TREE

Sir,—The needs for our Christmas party are still not assured. The tag day has not given us the necessary funds to take care of the dinner and tree. The total amount collected on Saturday was $108.79. Expenses for two meals for the kiddies and staff were $24.50.

We give here the approximate cost of a few items while the expenses have not been totaled: 250 pounds turkey, $65.00; mixed nuts, $35.00; cake, $18.00; oranges, $8.00. We give this list which is not the complete cost as it does not give the cost of toys still needed. The majority of the taggers were children of the unemployed and all the tots did the best they could in the cold, while many of these youngsters volunteered to go out again in the evening. These tots worked very hard to make their party a success but as the results show we still need urgent support. Donations to this turkey dinner, tree and concert may be left at the committee headquarters, 1327 Government Street.

ARDAH CAMPBELL.
Children's Christmas Party Committee convener, 1327 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., December 16, 1935.

MORATORIUM ACT

Sir,—Re the comments of Mr. James A. Griffith, in your issue of the 15th inst., about the Moratorium Act. Surely it would be interesting for one to be informed as to why the Crown should grant financial aid to the mortgagees and not to the mortgagors? To my mind the root of the whole trouble arises from the poignant fact that no government can compel folks to be honest and truthful, and act justly toward their neighbors by passing an act and placing it on its statutes.

In conclusion, sir, the concrete fact is ever present, had the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C., Municipal Act been adhered to on devious occasions in the past in its entity by said corporation directors, the consequences would have been that neither the mortgagees nor the mortgagors would be in their respective financial plight pertaining to property within the precincts of the aforesaid corporation.

WALTER INWARD.
1446 Lang Street, Victoria, B.C., December 15, 1935.

"I used to tell my son that if he was a good boy I'd take him to the circus."

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VETERAN OF SEA PASSES

Father of Vancouver Man Dies in Shetland Islands Home

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16.—John Goodlad, veteran mariner and father of Andrew Goodlad, secretary of the Canadian Merchant Service Guild here, died at his home in the Shetland Islands, Saturday, according to word received here.

He was eighty-nine years old and his sea career extended over fifty-seven years, during which he owned and sailed a number of vessels including the first sail and steam-driven boat in the early seventies.

His last ship was a modern sailing vessel which he purchased when sixty-five years old. He disposed of the boat seven years later and retired to the Shetland Islands.

He was predeceased by his wife five weeks ago, also aged eighty-nine years. They had been married sixty-four years.

Contributions For Gyro Hamper Fund Are Announced

The donation list of the Gyro Club Christmas Hamper Fund yesterday was near the $2,000 figure, it was announced by Harold L. Butteris, secretary-manager. Further donations would be gratefully received. Acknowledment of the following contributions was made yesterday:

Previously acknowledged	$1,682.75
Mrs. J. W. Troup	5.00
Central Transfer Co.	6.00
N. G.	5.00
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Miss I. Bickford	2.00
Mrs. M. P. Gordon	2.00
Mrs. E. C. Mathers	2.00
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Total	$1,980.00

"Are you a clock-watcher?" asked the employer of the candidate for a job.

"No, I don't like inside work," replied the applicant, without heat, "I'm a whistle-listener."

Mrs. M. E. Pomeroy Removed by Death

The death took place at an early hour Sunday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Pomeroy, aged seventy years. Born in London, England, she had been a resident of Victoria for thirty-five years, lately residing at 1177 Newport Avenue, Oak Bay.

Mrs. Pomeroy was a member of Queen City Chapter, Eastern Star, and a member of the Daughters and Maids of England.

She is survived by four daughters and four sons, Mrs. A. W. Budd, of Petaluma, Cal.; Mrs. W. H. McGill, of San Francisco; Mrs. L. F. Hutchinson and Mrs. C. F. Hutchinson, Victoria; Charles W. and Wilfred A. Pomeroy, Victoria; Stanley C., Oakland, and Alfred J. Pomeroy, Prince George, B.C.; also fourteen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock, at Carter's Funeral Home. Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

UNION LIBRARY AREAS SOUGHT

Forty Island Communities Seek Provincial Book Service

Requesting a plebiscite at the time of their annual municipal and school district elections, forty Island communities and districts, from Cobble Hill north to Campbell River, are now applying to the Provincial Government for creation of a union library area on Vancouver Island. The petitions, filed by each centre in turn, are in the hands of the Government for early consideration.

Okanagan and West Kootenay townships are making similar requests; petitions in respect to the Okanagan area already being filed, and those for West Kootenay partly completed.

WANT THREE SCHEMES

All three sets of petitions seek creation of union library areas under the Public Libraries Act, as amended at the last session. In scope and effect, these areas are asking that the same form of library service, based on local contributions with some Provincial help, as now applied in the Fraser Valley, be extended in their cases.

Groups in the suggested Island area include Alberni and Port Alberni, Cobble Hill, Cowichan Lake, and nearly all school districts north to Courtenay, Qualicum and Campbell River, excepting Nanaimo city.

It is unofficially understood that the request for plebiscite will be granted in respect to the Vancouver Island area. If this is done, a public vote on the principle would follow in January, it is said.

McLean—Why do I see you walking so much lately?

McClure—Reducing.

McLean—Reducing? Why, you're not fat. Why are you reducing?

McClure—Expenses.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

(Mr. Culbertson continues his description of a "friendly game" he recently watched. The first hand in this series appeared on Saturday of last week.)

It was obvious that North and South were slightly flushed with their success on the last two hands, while East and West were correspondly morose.

South was an ardent disciple of the "heckling system."

"Of course, if they're going to hold all the cards," he said complainingly to his partner, "the most we can collect is about fifty points per hand."

Both opponents gave him a murderous glance, and the next hand went into play.

North, dealer.

Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 8
♥ 7 6 3 2
♦ 8 7 6 3
♣ 7 5 4 2

WEST
♠ J 9
♥ Q 9 5
♦ K J 10 4
♣ K Q 10 3

EAST
♠ 10 7 4
♥ A J 10
♦ A Q 9
♣ A J 9 6

SOUTH
♠ A K Q 6 5 3 2
♥ K 8 4
♦ 5 2
♣ 8

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
Pass	1 N. T	2 ♣	Double
Pass	Pass	2 ♦	Double
Pass	Pass	2 ♠	Double
Pass	Pass	Pass	

I was sitting behind South and, of course, his object in bidding clubs and diamonds before his real spade suit was quite clear. He knew that West was "laying for him" and hoped that his eagerness for a killing might becloud his judgment.

This actually happened. West allowed himself to get into a doubling stride," and when South apparently rescued himself from the club and diamond doubles, West fell into the trap.

North deserved credit for sizing up the true situation and passing the spade bid rather than return to either of the other suits South had bid. East was blameless. His original bid was sound, and he had to trust his partner.

To make a bad matter worse, West opened the heart five, "the unbid suit." Eight tricks promptly became a laydown.

"Two spades, doubled, and game!" purred South.

If I may be permitted poetic licence, East and west exuded silence in large, thick quantities.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Question: The bidding was one no trump by West (whose no trump bids always are strong), pass by my partner, three no trump by East, and all passed. My partner opened the six of spades. The dummy went down as follows: ♠ 8 3, ♥ K Q 10 8, ♦ K J 8 4, ♣ A 3 2. My hand was: ♠ A Q 4, ♥ J 9 6 2, ♦ Q 10 3, ♣ 7 5 4. What should I play on the first trick?

Answer—You should play the queen. The reason is that you hold stoppers in both hearts and diamonds and am much more apt to gain the lead later than is your partner, who must hold a weak hand. Your pressing object, therefore, is to force declarer to win an early round of spades so that you will retain the ace and a small card with which to put your partner on lead.

TOMORROW'S HAND

NORTH
♠ 9 8 7 4 3
♥ 7 5 2
♦ J 6 3
♣ 8 4

WEST
♠ —
♥ A Q J 10
♦ A Q 10 4
♣ K Q 9 5 3

EAST
♠ A
♥ K 9 8 6 4 3
♦ K 9 8 7 2
♣ 7

SOUTH
♠ K Q J 10 6 5 2
♥ —
♦ 5
♣ A J 10 6 2

East, Dealer.
North and South vulnerable.

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's article.

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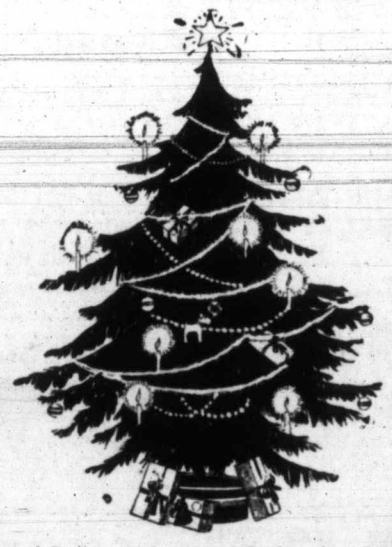

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